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POST-SCRIPTS

By
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"Sap and sawdust"—
Good enough food for the Rock-
ing-horse-fly, but let's keep away
from that kind of news.

The renomination of Jim Watson
in the face of a formidable opposi-
tion within his party leaves the
Indiana Senator the only disciple of
Boss Penrose with talent enough to
go through on his own.

"The flying rumours gather'd as
they roll'd,
Scarce any tale was sooner heard
than told."

England without a press, her
people uninformed of what is going
on, a prey to the wildest and most
fantastic reports, illustrates exactly
what Thomas Jefferson meant when
he said that if he had to choose be-
tween a government without news-
papers and newspapers without gov-
ernment he would choose the lat-
ter.

The New York philanthropist
who has adopted as his daughter a
married woman in her late thirties
will at least not be embarrassed by
any "Cinderella girl" headlines.

Speaking of a philanthropist,
here's a New York lady of 111 who
declines to wear knee-length skirts.

With horse racing stopped in
England the government awakens to
the fact that the strike is a greater
crisis than the world war.

With a strike suddenly turning
into a civil war on the other side
of the Atlantic maybe the Senate
won't feel so keen about postponing
the solution of our own coal prob-
lem until it's time to start next
winter's fires.

Representative Luce assumes the
leadership of the House for a few
brief moments and grants Commis-
sioner Fenning a one-man-power
stay of execution.

Great Britain wants to help the
Antislavery League run the United
States. Some folks are never so
busy at home but what they can
spare time to meddle with their
neighbors' business.

Speaking of prohibition, and the
Senate generally is, Senator Bruce
is as patient and persistent as his
distinguished ancestor with the
spider.

The Navy doctor who has been
indicted for illegal shuffling of
licker prescriptions doesn't seem to
be any more at sea than the Norfolk
reporters.

With Secretary Hoover all
dressed up to be the Pooh-Bah of
the air the Senate committee can't
resist the temptation to create a
special radio commission, but does
this come under the head of Cool-
idge economy?

"The chance is small that any
measure,
Will give all classes equal pleasure."

The House begins debate on a
lot of economically unsound farm
bills designed exclusively for the
mending of political fences.

"At last this question they address,
'What's Agricultural distress?'"
If to know more of this you would,
Why, just turn to your Thomas
Hood.

And learn why all the rural bump-
kins,
Can't make a profit on their pump-
kins.

The polar flight is again post-
poned, and Amundsen may yet have
to equip the Norge with runners and
Eskimo dogs. Speaking of Thomas
Hood, he has a little sage advice on
this subject, too:

"Come, messmates, attend to a
warning,
From one who has gone through the
whole,
And you'll never set sail, some fine
morning,
To seek any sort of a pole."

Wesel, Germany, celebrates the
300th anniversary of the most
profitable real estate deal in the
history of the world. When Peter
Minuit bought Manhattan island for
\$24 there were probably a lot of
wise boxes around who advised him
to put the money in Everglades
building lots.

Let us hope that the G. A. R.
will so far recall that the Civil War
is over as to raise no protest because
the granite for the Arlington mem-
orial bridge is to come from North
Carolina and Georgia.

The bankers object to this pro-
posed new tabloid paper money,
and as they are the people who
eventually get it all it would seem
as though their wishes should be re-
spected.

They've got a general strike
down in Nicaragua, too, but they're
so used to 'em that they're frank
about it and call it a revolution.

LUCE BLOCKS VOTE ON FORMAL INQUIRY INTO FENNING CASE

Resolution Would Give
Judiciary Committee
Full Powers.

EFFORT FOR ADOPTION SET FOR TOMORROW

Dr. White Is Expected to Tes-
tify This Morning Before
Veterans' Body.

Adoption by the House of a resolu-
tion to set its judiciary machinery
in motion against Commissioner
Frederick A. Fenning was blocked
temporarily yesterday by Repre-
sentative Luce (Republican), of
Massachusetts.

The action of Mr. Luce, who has
been styled the commissioner's "de-
fender" on the House veterans com-
mittee, came unexpectedly and was
a surprise even to House managers.
They had arranged for the recog-
nition of Chairman Graham, of the
judiciary committee, just before ad-
journment in order that the resolu-
tion could be adopted immediately
and the judiciary committee pro-
ceed with an investigation.

After Mr. Graham had presented
his report, however, Mr. Luce gave
notice that he would move for ad-
journment if its immediate consid-
eration was pressed. Mr. Luce has
based his stand in the veterans
committee on the ground that it
was not the proper committee to
make the investigation and that
the judiciary committee should
do it.

Committee Favors Resolution.
The resolution will be called up
again tomorrow, when, with a full
membership present, Mr. Luce will
be without the single-handed power
which he had yesterday.

The resolution reported favorably
by the judiciary committee was an
amended form of that introduced
by Representative Blanton, of Tex-
as, in connection with his impeach-
ment charges. As amended, the
judiciary committee would not pro-
ceed with a view to impeaching
Mr. Fenning, but with a view of
calling upon the President, if the
charges are substantiated, to re-
move him from office.

In an accompanying report, filed
by Mr. Graham, it was recommended
that the proceedings should not
be dignified by the term impeach-
ment. Impeachment proceedings
should be confined, it was reported,
to high officials of the government.
The same purpose would be served
in Mr. Fenning's case, should the
committee decide that he should
be impeached, by merely recom-
mending dismissal to the President,
it was pointed out.

The judiciary committee or a
subcommittee will have authority, if
the resolution is adopted by the
House, to subpoena witnesses, force
their presence, if necessary, and to
sit wherever and whenever it is ne-
cessary to take testimony. The com-
mittee would have authority to sit
during the summer recess.

Session Turbulent.
There were indications that Mr.
Luce's action was not only unex-
pected by party managers, but dis-
pleasing to them. So great a stir
has been created at the Capitol that
they are anxious to centralize every-
thing having to do with Mr. Fen-
ning in one committee.

It is considered more than likely
that Mr. Luce objected to imme-
diate consideration of the resolu-
tion in order that he might have a
lever with which to try to bring the
hearings of the veterans committee
to an end.

This committee was in turmoil
the better part of the day, party
ranks being split as charges and
counter charges were hurled around.

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Seven of Family Perish When Home Is Burned

Belleville, Ill., May 4 (By A. P.).
John Haas, 46, and six members
of his family were burned to death
in a fire which destroyed their
home here early today. Mrs. Haas,
another son and a 3-month-old
baby were severely burned in es-
caping from the building. The dead
are John Haas, 46, a miner; Ver-
nell, 9, a daughter; Marguerite, 7;
Eleanor, 6; Raymond, 4; Irene Ma-
lone, 17, a daughter of Haas' wife
by a former marriage; Billy Ma-
lone, 14.

Mrs. Haas said her husband arose
shortly before 5 o'clock to start a
fire in the kitchen stove. He poured
some liquid, believed to be gaso-
line, over the fuel.

SENATORS APPEAR RENOMINATED



Senators James E. Watson and Arthur R. Robinson, candidates for
renomination on the Republican ticket in the Indiana primary.

DR. T. E. NEILL SERIOUSLY HURT IN FALL FROM HORSE

Noted Surgeon and Athlete
Victim of Accident; Ex-
pected to Recover.

IS SWEEPED OFF BY LIMB

Dr. Thomas E. Neill, noted sur-
geon and socially prominent, of
1824 Massachusetts avenue north-
west, is in the Emergency hospital
in a serious condition as the result
of a fall from a horse yesterday
afternoon in Rock Creek park. Dr.
Neill was taken to the Emergency
hospital and treated for concussion
of the brain, lacerations and bruise
on the face and on the legs. It is
expected he will recover.

Dr. Neill, in company with Ran-
dall Hagner, local real estate oper-
ator, was riding through the park
about 5:30 o'clock yesterday after-
noon when a branch struck him off
the horse, sweeping him off the
horse.

Not wanting Mr. Hagner, who
was riding some distance in the
rear, to see him, Dr. Neill remount-
ed. He told Dr. James Mitchell, his
physician, that this was the last he
knew. Either the horse bolted and
threw him or he was struck by an-
other branch.

When Mr. Hagner passed the
spot where Dr. Neill fell the second
time, he saw him lying in the
bushes, unconscious. Mr. Hagner
picked Dr. Neill up, hailed a pass-
ing motorist, who summoned an
ambulance and accompanied him to
the hospital. Dr. Neill was uncon-
scious for several hours.

Dr. Neill is married and has a
small daughter. He was a star ath-
lete while at Georgetown university,
where he was graduated in 1912.
Besides earning fame as a star foot-
ball player from 1909 until his
graduation, Dr. Neill rowed on the
crew. He served as assistant sur-
geon to Dr. Mitchell from 1914
until 1919. He is 42 years old.

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SENATOR WATSON IS SEEMINGLY WINNER IN INDIANA PRIMARY

Robinson Holding Slim
Majority Over Vote of
His Four Rivals.

FREDERICK IN CLOSE CONTEST WITH CULLOP

Democratic Long-Term Con-
test Likely to Be Thrown
Into Convention.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 4 (By
A. P.).—United States Senator
James E. Watson apparently had
been returned a winner in the Re-
publican long-term senatorial pri-
mary on the face of incomplete un-
official returns tonight.

Senator Arthur R. Robinson was
maintaining a slight majority over
the combined vote of all his four
opponents for the short-term nomi-
nation, while the fight for the
Democratic long-term nomination
appeared to be a nip-and-tuck race
between William A. Cullop, of Vin-
cennes, and John E. Frederick, of
Kokomo.

Returns from 242 out of 3,651
precincts in the Republican six-year
term race gave: Watson, 12,319;
Adams, 4,621, while 241 precincts
showed Robinson 10,877, and Arch
G. Graham, of South Bend, his near-
est opponent, 5,666.

Frederick had gained a slight
advantage over Cullop in the Demo-
cratic primary. The vote was
Frederick, 2,989; Cullop, 2,506.
Four other entrants in this race ap-
peared to have gained sufficient
votes to force the final decision into
the State convention.

Incumbents Are Leading.
Congressional returns were
meager. Noble Johnson, of the
Fifth district; Fred Purnell, of the
Ninth, and Andrew J. Hickey, of
the Twelfth, all Republican incum-
bents were running substantially
ahead of their opponents on scant
returns.

Evans Woolen, Indianapolis
banker, was unopposed for the
Democratic nomination for the
short term senatorship today, and
he will make the race as that
party's candidate for the senator-
ship held by Samuel M. Ralston.
This term expires in 1929. Senator
Robinson, of Indianapolis, was ap-
pointed to the place made vacant
by Senator Ralston's death last
summer. Those opposing Senator
Robinson are Arch Graham, of
South Bend; Oswald Ryan, of
Anderson, and Ward B. Hiner and
Dr. James R. Norrell, of Indianapo-
lis. The latter is a negro. To gain
the nomination one of the five must
gain a majority over all the other
candidates, otherwise the State con-
vention will select the nominee.

The Democratic candidates for
the long term senatorial nomination
also faced the possibility of having
the votes cast for them today go
for naught. There were six in this
race and it seemed likely that the
party convention would get to se-
lect the nominee.

The contestants are William Cul-
lop, of Vincennes; George Rauch,
of Marion; Albert Stump, of In-
dianapolis; L. E. Slack, of Indian-
apolis; John E. Frederick, of Ko-
komo, and L. William Curry, of
Indianapolis.

In addition, the voters selected
precinct committees who will
organize the party machinery for
the fall campaign.

Ground for Harding Memorial Is Broken

Marion, Ohio, May 4 (By A. P.).
Ground was broken today for the
memorial in honor of President and
Mrs. Harding.

A delegation of prominent Marion
citizens, headed by members of the
executive committee of the Hard-
ing Memorial association, went to
the site of the memorial south of
the city, where appropriate exer-
cises were held.

Hoke Donithen, president of the
association, broke the ground with
a silver spade given by a Troy
(Ohio) firm. Col. George B. Chris-
tian lifted the second spadeful of
earth. The spade will be placed in
the Harding museum. The mem-
orial will cost \$800,000 and will be
completed next fall. The corner
stone will be laid Memorial day.

Spanish Flier Saved By Boat Far at Sea

Manila (Wednesday), May 5 (By
A. P.).—A dispatch from Macao to
the Manila Tribune says that Capt.
Lagaria-Taboada has been picked up
alive by the gunboat Partia, near
Kwangchow-Wan, about 250 miles
southwest of Hongkong. The Span-
ish flier has been missing since last
Saturday on the Madrid-Manila
flight.

BRITAIN, IN GRIP OF STRIKE, FACES DANGER OF HUNGER; STREET FIGHTING OCCURS

Rumors Imperil Life of Nation,
Government's Newspaper Holds

London, May 4 (By A. P.).
The British Gazette, a daily
published by the government
at the office of the Morning
Post, made its first appearance
tonight. It announces it has a
circulation of only 700,000,
but will extend its circulation
as rapidly as possible and in-
crease its size from four pages.
The Gazette says it is run on
the authority of the govern-
ment, and at government ex-
pense, if necessary.

"Nearly all the newspapers
have been silenced by violent
concerted action," it asserts in
its leading article, "and this
great nation, on the whole the
strongest community which
civilization can show, is for the
moment reduced in this respect
to the level of African natives,
dependent only on rumors
which are carried from place to
place."

"In a few days, if this were
allowed to continue, the ru-
mors would poison the air,
raise panics and disorders, in-
flame fears and passions to
danger and carry us all to
depths which no sane man of
any party or class could care
even to contemplate."

"The government has, there-
fore, decided not only to use
broadcasting for spreading in-
formation but to bring out a
paper of its own on a sufficient
scale to carry full and timely
news throughout all parts of
the country."

In its leading news column
it reviews the development of
the strike and says, "There are
already signs that the strike
is by no means so complete
as the promoters had hoped.
There were far more trains run-
ning than was the case the first
day of the railway strike in
1919."

"Reports from all parts of
the country indicate that satis-
factory arrangements have
been set up for recruiting.
Volunteers came forward in
large numbers in London and
all the important provincial
centers."

The paper regards the present
situation, "not as a dispute
between employers and work-
men but a conflict between
trades union leaders and par-
liament," and declares that
"it can end only in a decisive
and unmistakable victory for
parliament."

If Seamen Quit, Food Will
Be Cut Off; Anxiety
Felt by Public.

RIOTERS ARE BEATEN WITH POLICE CLUBS

Gang Burns Car Carrying
Grills to Work; Hurls Taxi
From Bridge Into River.

UNTRAINED VOLUNTEERS SOLE HOPE OF PREMIER

Tie-Up Is Complete Over All
of England; Government
Sees Long Struggle.

London, May 5 (Wednesday).
(By The Associated Press).—
At midnight the general strike
had been in progress 24 hours
and had stalled the great
bulk of the country's industries.
So vast is the movement and so
many are its ramifications, no
single development can be observed.
London and the other great cities
present the curious aspect of many
thousands of persons and convey-
ances in aimless motion, with al-
most total suspension of work, ex-
cept in vital services.

There have been no new nego-
tiations, so far as the public is
aware, seeking a settlement of the
strike—no move to this end on
either side. That the government
does not propose to initiate new
parleys is obvious from the state-
ment contained in its official news-
paper, the first number of which
was issued last (Tuesday) night—
"the strike leaders have made no
move, and the next step is with
them."

Serious clashes occurred last
night between the police and hood-
lums in the Poplar district, and
several of the participants were re-
moved to hospitals. This district
is in East London dockland, and
the mob is notoriously tough.

Motor Cars Are Held Up.

Gangs of roughs held up motor
cars and lorries taking workers to
their homes; they compelled the
passengers to alight and then
wrecked the machinery of the cars,
set fire to one and by blocking the
street prevented the firemen from
quenching the flames.

A taxicab was thrown over the
bridge into the river, but the driver
escaped. Many of the passengers
were girls, who were terrified by
the violence of the mob, and sev-
eral fainted.

Police clubbed the rioters se-
verely. The rioters were not trade
unionists nor acting under union
orders.

Although the strike extends from
one end of the country to the other,
the people, aside from certain in-
conveniences, have not even begun
to feel its real effects. The gov-
ernment and those leaders identi-
fied with the most important indus-
tries, operating separately, but in
some cases together, have already
set up machinery for supplying the
populace with those things abso-
lutely essential for its existence.

Volunteers Lack Training.

It would appear as if the govern-
ment were settling down to a long
fight. It is officially asserted that
the tie-up is not so complete as
the strike leaders intended, and
that the people are rousing them-
selves to help the government keep
things going. It is impossible yet
to indicate the full extent to which
volunteers are enrolling, or whether
they are suitable to the demands of
the situation. Unquestionably a
large number have undertaken pub-
lic service, but will need training
for special work, and it will be
some time before they are wholly
effective.

Among the chief causes of anx-
iety is necessarily the attitude of
the seamen and ships' firemen. If
their union casts its lot with the
strikers the country will be faced
with the prospect of a food short-
age for which enrollment of volun-
teers could not compensate.

The tie-up of the work at the
docks seems very general through-
out the country, but here again the
figures are incomplete, and people
are asking, even if dock labor is
satisfactorily replaced by volun-
teers, where the food is to come
from if the shipping whereby it is
imported is held up by the refusal

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\$100,000 Is Demanded Of Mrs. Curtis Guild

Boston, Mass., May 4 (By A. P.).
Mrs. Curtis Guild, widow of for-
mer Gov. Guild of Massachusetts,
has received a letter demanding
\$100,000, under threat of death, it
was learned today. Mrs. Guild was
understood to have left her Back
Bay home, and the police declined
to comment. Newspapers learned
that the note was a typical black-
hand demand, typewritten by a per-
son apparently possessing little
knowledge of English.

Mrs. Guild, whose husband also
was at one time Ambassador to
Russia, has been active in social
and political work.

Good Jobs
are not hard to find when you use The
Post's Situations Wanted column in
searching for them. Some of the
best concerns in the city turn invari-
ably to The Post when in need of
competent help.

WAN DID NOT FORGE CHECK IN MURDER CASE, SAYS EXPERT

Handwriting Specialist Testifies for Defense at Chinese Slaying Trial.

RESIDENT NEAR MISSION TELLS OF HEARING SHOT

Maj. Hesse Says Watches Found on Slain Bodies Not Examined.

Samuel C. Malone, a handwriting expert, who has appeared in more than 2,000 court cases, took the stand at the murder trial of Ziang Sun Wan yesterday and expressed the opinion that Wan did not forge the \$5,000 check which figured so prominently in the Chinese triple murder of 1919.

Other defense witnesses were Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, superintendent of police, John E. Hoover, an attorney in the Department of Justice, and Gorman Hendricks, a former newspaper reporter. The \$5,000 check is regarded as the crux of the Wan case. The check itself is missing, but the check book from which it was taken is a part of the evidence. On a stub in this book is the forged signature of Dr. T. T. Wong, one of the three men who were murdered in the Chinese educational mission. It is assumed that the same man who forged the check filled out this stub.

Unknown Man Accused.

The government contends that Wan forged the check and turned it over to his brother, Van, to cash at the Riggs National Bank the day after the murder. That Van tried to cash the check is an established fact, but he says the check was turned over to him by an unknown Chinese he met at Union station, and who asked his assistance. Bertie C. Farrar, a Treasury handwriting expert who was called last week by the prosecution, told the jury that, in his opinion, Wan did forge the name of Dr. Wong to the check stub. He submitted as evidence a composite sample of Wan's handwriting made up of letters taken from telegrams, checks and other things that Wan had written.

Mr. Malone said yesterday that he would never resort to a composite sample of handwriting because it was not fair. He intimated that almost anybody could be convicted by such methods.

Tells of Hearing Shot.

John E. Hoover, who lives in Kalorama road, three doors from the house in which the triple murder took place, gave valuable testimony for the defense. Mr. Hoover said that before he went with the Department of Justice he had been associated with several members of the United States Supreme Court, including Charles Evans Hughes, when the latter was a member of that tribunal. Mr. Hoover testified that he heard a loud report "having all the characteristics of a revolver shot" about 12:30 o'clock the morning of January 30, 1919.

The witness' testimony was important from the standpoint of the defense in that the defense claims that the murder took place at a time when Wan was either in his hotel or on the way to the hotel.

Maj. Hesse Testifies.

Maj. Hesse, who was property clerk of the police department when the triple murder was committed, was asked about the watches that were taken from the bodies of Dr. Wong and C. H. Hsio and about the safe that is known to have been in the mission house.

The police chief testified that the watches were turned over to a Chinese named Yang, who is now in China. He admitted that he had never examined them to see if they were broken. Wilton J. Lambert, chief counsel for Wan, has expressed the opinion that these watches might have stopped in the shock of combat at the mission house and therefore might be valuable evidence in determining what time the murder took place.

Maj. Hesse said that none of the contents in the mission safe was turned over to him. Wan has testified that there was a large sum of money in this safe. However, none

of the detectives seemed to have looked into it. Maj. Hesse also denied that a pair of glasses said to have belonged to Dr. Wong were turned over to him. Capt. Guy Burlingame said he found these glasses and gave them to the then chief of detectives, Inspector Clifford Grant. The defense claims that they were not Dr. Wong's glasses, but, in fact, belong to the murderer.

Youth Seeks Death In Firehouse Room

Louis Weaver, 18 years old, of Rosemont, Va., swallowed a quantity of poison in a room at the firehouse of No. 14 engine company, Eighth and D streets, yesterday afternoon. He was taken to Emergency hospital by firemen in the automobile of a deputy chief. Although his condition is serious, hospital officials said last night that he will recover.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DONATES \$500 TO PARK

Shenandoah National Project Fund Here Has Passed \$100,000 Mark.

SOL BLOOM IS SPEAKER

An appropriation of \$500 toward the fund being raised for the purchase of the Shenandoah National park site in Virginia was unanimously voted by the board of directors of the Washington Chamber of Commerce, meeting last night in the Willard hotel.

Robert N. Harper, chairman of the local fund committee, reported that \$100,000 had been subscribed by Washingtonians and that he expected to raise \$150,000. The entire site of about 300 square miles is to cost \$1,250,000. In urging the directors to authorize the appropriation, Mr. Harper declared that it was an investment both for the chamber and the city of Washington on which both would surely realize in the future.

"You can't put money into Virginia unless it comes back to Washington," he asserted. The speaker pointed out that the proposed park would be within the reach of 40,000,000 people, and that the great majority of them who would come here would come in the summer—the dull business season. Representative Sol Bloom, of New York, told the directors they had in Washington the greatest show place the world has ever known, and what it needs is a showman to tell the world what is here. The directors also voted the sum of \$50 to the Boy Scouts of America. M. A. Leese, president of the chamber, presided and he announced that 150 members of the Tulsa, Okla., Chamber of Commerce would be in Washington Thursday, at which time the local chamber will be host to the visitors. He urged all members to cooperate with the chamber in giving the visitors a royal welcome here.

Police Raiders Find Bankbook and Still

A bankbook showing deposits of more than \$80,000 in the last three years was found by a police liquor squad under command of Capt. Guy E. Burlingame yesterday when the premises at 2122 First street northwest were raided. The police say they found a large liquor making plant on the fourth floor of the house, but the occupant of the residence was absent and no arrests were made. The capture of a still of 1,000 gallons capacity was reported. Two hundred gallons of liquor was poured out of a fourth floor window. They were jeered while they went about their work of destruction, police said.



In running around town this Spring we've been shadowing the styles, and find that double-breasted outfits are in great demand. Just what we expected, so we're all set with mixed suits and blue ones in double-breasted models.

The mixtures are fancy patterns in light and dark cheviots showing stripes and overplaids; the blues are of serge and unfinished worsted. Lapels are wider, and the shoulders are broader—altogether, most distinctive clothing.

Plenty single-breasted suits, too, in attractive Spring patterns and fabrics.

MEYER'S SHOP
Rogers Feet Clothing
1331 F Street

DR. PIERCE ELECTED BY ARMY CHAPLAINS AS THEIR PRESIDENT

Association Votes to Form Branches in Each of Nine Corps Areas.

GROUP TODAY UNVEILS ARLINGTON MEMORIAL

Davis Tells Body It Has Great Opportunity in Training of Youth.

The Rev. Jason Noble Pierce, pastor of the First Congregational church, was elected president of the Chaplains Association of the Army at a meeting in the State, War and Navy building last night, which closed the first day of the three-day session of the pan-denominational conference of army chaplains. Dr. Pierce will succeed the Rt. Rev. Charles H. Brent, Episcopal bishop of western New York, who was designated president, though he closed the first day of the three-day session of the pan-denominational conference of army chaplains. Dr. Pierce was vice president pro tempore before election last night.

The Rev. Francis P. Duffy, of New York, was elected vice president. Members of the executive staff elected were: The Rev. Donald Gerrish, Rabbi Morris S. Lazarus, the Rev. Charles S. Macfarland, the Rev. William Hughes and the Rev. George M. Diefenderfer.

Branches Are Proposed.

The association last night voted to establish branches in each of the nine corps areas. Chaplains elected presidents of the corps associations would automatically become vice presidents of the national association. It was decided last night to start the work of organizing the corps associations at once, although they would not be recognized until the next annual meeting.

A nation is doomed to oblivion unless its youth is as strong in moral courage as in physical make-up. Secretary of War Dwight P. Davis declared yesterday at the opening session. Representatives of the families, religious denominations and organizations of the 23 army chaplains who lost their lives during the war will go to the Arlington National cemetery this afternoon at 2 o'clock to place wreaths and emblems on the memorial tablet which will be unveiled with formal ceremonies.

Plans for the formation of a permanent service organization of chaplains were discussed at the meeting presided over by the Rev. James E. Freeman, Episcopal bishop of Washington.

Secretary of War Davis, at the day session declared that the War Department, through its chaplains, is not only charged with the responsibility for the moral training of the soldiers of the regular army but it also has under its guidance, for various periods of the year, the enlisted men of the national guard, Philippine scouts, those who attend the reserve corps officers' training camps and the citizen soldiers who enter the citizens' training camps, a total of nearly half a million men.

The War Department is offered a splendid opportunity to cultivate the principles of good citizenship in these men, Secretary Davis declared, and as the nation demands a citizenry in which love of country, veneration of its institutions and love of God predominate, Mr. Davis de-

clared that it is up to the chaplains who are offered an intimate acquaintance with the men to do their duty.

Foreign Service Tests Passed by Trammell

H. Eric Trammell, of the Connecticut apartments, Connecticut avenue and M streets, has passed the foreign service examinations, the State Department announced yesterday. At the same time the department announced that Hugh F. Ramsay, formerly of New York, who recently came to Washington, also passed the examinations. Successful candidates will be appointed first to duty in the training period for a six months' training period and then assigned to foreign posts in the consular and diplomatic services. Mr. Trammell has resided in Washington since he left the army, at the end of the war.

Poisoned Woman Is Sent to Hospital

Found walking about her quarters at 8 Grant place northwest, last evening, Miss Dorothy Lowe, 39 years old, suffering from poison, alleged to have been self-administered, was sent to Gallinger hospital by Detectives Robert Sanders and Charles Warfield, of the central office. Her recovery is doubtful, it was said. Police say she had taken enough poison in the last ten days to kill a dozen persons. Other occupants in the house, discovering the condition of Miss Lowe, summoned police.

TRUCK-LOAD WEIGHT REDUCTION OPPOSED

Transportation Men Tell Bell They Are Against New Bridge Regulation.

Opposition developed yesterday to the proposed reduction in the weights of loaded trucks passing over bridges, which will be discussed public hearing today at 10 a. m. in the board room of the District building, in the form of an amendment to the traffic regulations. Owners of trucks hauling brick, sand and gravel and all over the Highway bridge served notice on Lieut. Col. J. Franklin Bell, engineer commissioner, that they would oppose the change from 8,000 to 20,000 pounds for loaded trucks on that and certain other bridges.

Decision on the other pending traffic code amendments, recommended in a joint report several days ago to the commissioners by M. O. Eldridge, traffic director, and Maj. Edwin B. Hesse, superintendent of police, was postponed until Friday to permit their being decided at the same time as the truck load amendment.

Autoist Strikes Boy; Speeds From Scene

Six-year-old Roy P. Fisher, 522 First street southeast, was the victim of a "hit-and-run driver" last evening. He was treated at Providence hospital for body bruises and shock. The boy was running across First street and Virginia avenue southeast when hit by the automobile. The driver extinguished the lights on his car and sped away before the tag numbers could be obtained by witnesses.

Food and Drugs Discussed. "The Enforcement of Food and Drug Act" was the topic on which Dr. George W. Hoover, chief of drug control section, bureau of chemistry, Department of Agriculture, spoke at the luncheon of the Wapiya club yesterday at the University club.

WETS ARE ASSAILED AT DINNER TENDERED METHODIST BISHOPS

Church Heads of Many Nations Attending Midquadrennial Conference.

CHRISTIE DECLARES DRY CAUSE HAS BEEN AIDED

Decline of Foreign Mission Contributions Is Problem Facing Meetings.

Antiprohibitionists and straw votes were assailed last night at a banquet given in honor of the board of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, who are assembled in Washington for semiannual meeting. The banquet was given by the Methodist union of the Washington district. More than 700 attended. Dr. A. C. Christie, president of the Methodist union, presiding, declared the recent hearing on prohibition before a Senate committee actually enabled the wets to help the cause of prohibition by exposing their true aims and showing the futility of their suggested remedies. Bishop McDowell, who acted as toastmaster, said the occasion was one of the greatest in the history of the church. Never before had the church gathered so many bishops at one time from so many parts of the world into one meeting, the bishop said.

"Truly the Methodist Church is becoming international," he declared. Bishop Ernest L. Waldorf, of Kansas City, Mo., likened the straw vote to the straw man in the field. "The straw vote," he said, "has as much relation to the general sentiment of the country as the straw man has to a vital man. The straw vote is used by the wets as a scarecrow even as the straw man is used in the field."

Plea for Internationalism.

A plea for internationalism was made by Bishop Herbert Welch, of Seoul, Korea. "The statesmen who waste their time on the tariff and other unimportant measures and fail to take into account racial and international relations is like the man who talks of painting his house while it is threatened with destruction by fire," Bishop Welch said.

The semiannual meeting of the board of bishops opened yesterday afternoon at Foundry Methodist Episcopal church.

The Rev. Frederick Brown Harris, pastor of Foundry church, welcomed the visiting bishops "in the name of the people called Methodists of the Nation's Capital and of Foundry church."

The conference is attended by bishops from all parts of the world and is called every two years. Semiannual meetings are held by the bishops of each country. The general meeting, which takes place every two years, is held coincidentally with the semiannual meeting.

Continue Rotation. The board unanimously decided to continue the perennial rotation of bishops in presiding over the annual area conferences. This rule prohibits any bishop from presiding over the conference of his own area more than twice in the four

years between general conferences. Bishop William F. McDowell, of Washington, was appointed chairman of the committee having charge of the rotation of the bishops.

The agenda committee submitted its report, which was adopted by the board. The report places a discussion of the foreign mission field at the beginning of the program. Rising nationalist feeling in China, India and other mission countries has created a host of new problems which will have to be settled by the board at this meeting. This discussion will begin at this morning's session.

Another problem facing the bishops is the decline of contributions to the foreign missionary field caused by the intensive church building drives following the war-time suspension of such activities. The bishops say they believe the slump to be natural in view of this circumstance and will plan for the stimulation of mission collections. The meeting place of the next semiannual conference was set for Denver, Colo., November 5.

Apostolic Delegate Speaks at Meeting

The Most Rev. Pietro Fumasoni Blondi, apostolic delegate, was the principal speaker at the annual meeting of the Christ Child society at Rauscher's yesterday afternoon. The Rev. William J. Kerby, of the Catholic university, warned the society against the uselessness of careless charity and told of the need for cooperation between the volunteer and the paid worker. Other speakers were Miss Gertrude Bolling, director of Instruction Visiting Nurse society; Miss Agnes Regan, executive secretary of the National Council of Catholic Women; Representative Mary T. Norton, of New Jersey, and the Very Rev. John O'Grady, Mrs. J. Dudley Morgan, the first vice president, presided. Reports from committee were heard. There was a brief musical program by the children of the settlement directed by Miss Edna T. Sheehy.

Woman, Fainting, Turns on Gas Jets

Fainting while she was at work over a gas range in her apartment last evening, Mrs. Bessie Curry, 52 years old, 1466 Chapin street northwest, turned on a burner accidentally as she collapsed to the floor and was nearly asphyxiated.

Mrs. Sallie Miller, who resides in an adjoining apartment, detecting the odor of gas, investigated and found Mrs. Curry unconscious on the floor. She summoned Policeman C. B. McDonnell, of the Eighth precinct, and an Emergency hospital ambulance. Mrs. Curry was taken to the hospital, where she was revived and treated for gas poisoning. Physicians last night said her recovery is expected.

Sudden Illness Fatal.

Stricken suddenly ill in his apartment last night, William J. Brown, 62 years old, 1115 Eighth street northwest, died before aid from Emergency hospital could reach him. Heart trouble is believed the cause of his death. Coroner J. Ramsey Nevitt will act in the case today.

Rathbone Praises Capital.

Washington is becoming the greatest capital in the world, Representative Henry R. Rathbone, of Illinois, declared in a speech on "Washington" yesterday at the weekly luncheon of the Civitan club, held at the Lafayette hotel. Thomas M. Stearn, president of the club, presided.

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MARY BAKER EDDY AGAINST PROHIBITION

On the two occasions on which Mrs. Eddy used the word "PROHIBITION" in her published writings she unqualifiedly condemned it. On page 257 of her "Miscellaneous Writings" she says: "Law is either a moral or an immoral force . . . The so-called law of matter is an immoral force of error, mortal mind, alias the minds of mortals. This so-called force, or law, at work in nature as a power, prohibition, or license, is cruel and merciless."

On page 260 of "Miscellaneous Writings" she says: "Mind, imbued with this Science of healing, is a law unto itself, needing neither license nor prohibition; but lawless mind . . . is the highest attenuation of evil."

Mrs. Eddy's statements relating to "PROHIBITION" are in plentiful circulation in Great Britain and America. Strict temperance is a fundamental tenet of her teaching, but this can be attained only through individual endeavor. It cannot be imposed on an individual or a nation by any application of physical force from without.

Mrs. Eddy's teachings demand strict obedience to the laws of the land even though a law may be individually disapproved. Christian Scientists never advocate the breaking of a law, but never fail to ask for an improvement of it.

The plan of cooperation taught by Mrs. Eddy supports the individual right endeavor toward temperance until the common consent to the right is reached by the group.

The recognition of this radical point in relation to prohibition in Christian Science has come through discovery in Mrs. Eddy's writings by Annie C. Bill, Founder and Leader of The Christian Science Parent Church of the New Generation, the advancing movement in Christian Science.

Students of Christian Science who are both wise and far-sighted will not permit themselves to be committed to a position on the great national issue of prohibition that is directly opposed to Mrs. Eddy's teaching.

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BANKERS URGE LAW TO CHECK ROBBERS WHO IMPERIL LIVES

Oppose Move by U. S. Treasury to Reduce Size of Paper Currency.

CIVIL AERONAUTIC BUREAU IS ADVOCATED BY LARNER

Sixteen New Chapters of Institute Reported Formed in Last Year.

Pinehurst, N. C., May 4 (By A. P.).—Enactment of a law in all States providing heavy penalties for robberies in which life is endangered, was recommended in a resolution passed here today by the administrative commission of the executive council of the American Bankers association, according to a report made to the council by President Oscar Wells, Birmingham.

Action of the national bank section in protesting to the Treasury Department against the proposed re-

\$500,000 House of Play For Rockefeller's Boys

Tarrytown, N. Y., May 4 (By A. P.).—A half million dollar "playhouse," where John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and his five sons can enjoy many kinds of sports together under a single roof, is nearing completion on his estate at Pocantico Hills. Inside the two-story building are bowling alleys, a basketball court, swimming pool, volleyball court, billiard room, cardroom, music room, lounge, a darkroom for developing and projecting films and a breakfast room and kitchen as well as playrooms especially designed for the younger sons of the capitalist.

In a fenced area surrounding the building a baseball diamond is being laid out and a tennis court and croquet ground are already completed.

It is expected that the building, designed by Duncan Candler, of New York, will be completed early this fall.

Question in size of United States paper currency, was reported by W. C. Wilkinson, Charlotte, president of that section.

The question of legislative relief for the farmers did not reach the floor of the council today and it is not expected to be reached, if reached at all, before Thursday, as Wednesday's session will be confined to the presentation of additional reports.

Reports made at today's session of the council dealt largely with affairs of the organization, and how policies adopted at the last convention have been carried out during the past year.

How five middle Western States have reduced bank banditry during the last six months by the use of vigilance campaigns was told in a report of James E. Baum, manager of the protective department of the association. The report was made to the committee on bank crime prevention and investigation, which met today.

The report quotes figures to show how vigorous methods among the bankers have reduced crime, commends the action of the American Law Institute in undertaking to produce a moral code of statutes and court rules dealing with criminal procedure and opposes the unrestricted manufacture and sale of concealable firearms.

For Aeronautics Bureau.

Establishment of a bureau of civil aeronautics in the United States Department of Commerce, with a view to encouraging civil aviation in this country, is advocated in a report of the commerce and marine division, of which J. B. Larner, of Washington, D. C., is chairman.

The work of the association's legal department, presented by Thomas B. Patton, of New York, was reviewed for the year, stress being laid upon the organization's work in connection with the recently passed Federal revenue bill.

Sixteen new chapters of the American Institute of Banking were reported by Bruce Baird, president of the division, to have been organized during the year, bringing the total membership to 57,451.

Greater Cooperation Urged.

The report of the clearing house section indicates an attempt upon its part to develop a national viewpoint and greater cooperation between bankers.

After the busy morning session the bankers centered their attention for the afternoon and evening upon golf and other entertainment features. There was a concert at night by Cora Chase, soprano. Mrs. David H. Moss, of Seattle, Wash., won the lady's putting contest.

Members of the executive council refused to comment on the probable effect of the British general strike on the banking business of this country. They took the attitude that they have too little available information on the strike to express opinion at this time.

Ptomaine Poisoning Kills Child; 7 Are Ill

Pittsburgh, May 4 (By A. P.).—Ptomaine poisoning resulting from food they ate was believed by physicians today to have caused the death of Olga Kosh, 7, and the serious illness of Andrew Kosh, his wife and five other children.

Members of the family ate a number of colored eggs Sunday in observing Greek orthodox Easter, they said. The dye used in coloring the eggs seeped through the shells. All became ill shortly afterward.

Dr. R. H. McClelland, a pathologist, later reported to the coroner he believed the illness of the Kosh family was due to eating sausage.

Lethal Gas Appeal Fails.

Reno, Nev., May 4 (By A. P.).—Stanko Jukich, sentenced to die by lethal gas the week of May 16 for murder, has been denied a writ of habeas corpus in Federal district court here. Attorneys for the condemned man brought his case to the Federal court after exhausting all remedies in the State courts.

ANTIEVOLUTIONISTS' FIRST 'WAR' SESSION HALTED BY TURMOIL

Expression of Views in "Committee of 100" Nearly Leads to Fisticuffs.

"BIBLE NEEDS NO HELP," HOLDS LAY PARTICIPANT

Another Resents Reference to "Bitter-Tongued Ministers"; Platform Is Adopted.

Charlotte, N. C., May 4 (By A. P.).—The State-wide mass meeting called by the "committee of 100" to battle evolution in North Carolina adjourned suddenly today after several hours of stormy session.

Judge Walter H. Neal, of Laurinburg, chairman of the committee, declared the meeting adjourned at 4 o'clock, subject to the call of the president. Judge Neal was elected to that office a few minutes prior to this action.

Shortly before the gathering closed, a number of those present apparently were ruffled over many of the opinions that had been expressed during the afternoon session and at one time bodily action was threatened. This came when the Rev. Walter West, of Lincoln, declared that he had resented E. D. Broadhurst's reference to "bitter-tongued" ministers who had spoken during the day.

Pastor Is Halted in Aisle.

Mr. West was halted, however, as he marched down the aisle toward the Greensboro man. Broadhurst continued his denunciation of many who had appeared and declared that "such conduct on the part of ministers is discouraging to a layman."

"The Bible does not need any help from the North Carolina legislature," Broadhurst declared.

After he had taken his seat, Frank R. McNinch, former mayor of Charlotte, gained recognition. Objection to hearing Mr. McNinch was raised, and Thomas M. Glasgow,

FEAR OF COATING OF ICE DELAYS NORGE'S FLIGHT

Test Balloons Descend at Leningrad Covered With Heavy Crust.

Leningrad, May 4 (By A. P.).—The dirigible Norge, of the Amundsen-Ellsworth polar expedition, is still held at Leningrad owing to the weather conditions. The Norge was to have started for Spitzbergen last Sunday, but was delayed, and again today Commander Noble did not care to risk his craft in the face of storms. The Norge is ready to be released tomorrow morning if the weather moderates.

Many persons today made the pilgrimage to Trotsk, hoping to see the start, but only saw test balloons disappearing at a height of about 400 feet in the clouds, which today covered even the cupola of the cathedral at Leningrad, then landing, covered with ice.

Precisely such an ice crust is feared by the Norge, for even a crust 1 millimeter thick would add 4½ tons to the 11 tons weight of the airship, eventually causing a catastrophe. This was the conclusion reached by Commander Noble after consulting with the Russian aviation pilot, Tschukunsky, who twice in 1924 and 1925 flew to Nova Zembla, and nearly perished owing to his ice-covered plane. Had it not been that the Leningrad observatory on Sunday at the last minute issued a warning of yesterday's snowstorm, the airship might have begun her flight and would have found herself in a most difficult position.

Capt. Amundsen, who is in Spitzbergen, sends several times daily weather conditions there. On the whole, they appear to be favorable, but he has given Commander Noble full authority to fix the time of the start.

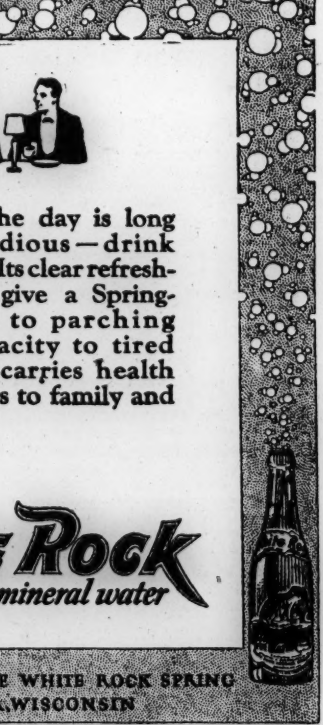
11th Birthday Kept By New York Woman

Jordanville, N. Y., May 4 (By A. P.).—Today was only one of 40,000 odd in the life of Mrs. Delina Filkins, but to her neighbors it was the 11th birthday of the oldest woman in the world, so far as known. Only for the congratulatory letters and telegrams from old friends and acquaintances, she would have passed the day much as she has the other.

She rises every morning at 5:30, eats a hearty breakfast, makes her own bed, sews, does a few things around the house and uses her spare time for reading.

Mrs. Filkins insists that her clothes must conform to fashion's latest decree, but she draws the line on the abbreviated skirt.

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Wilbur Gets Findings In the De Valin Case

Special to The Washington Post.

Norfolk, Va., May 4.—Rear Admiral Countz, commanding the Fifth Naval district, today forwarded to Secretary of the Navy Wilbur the findings of a naval board of investigation in the case of Capt. C. M. de Valin, commandant of the Naval hospital here, who is accused of violating the Volstead act and with appropriating to his own use government material which he sent to a ducking club in North Carolina.

The report was handed to Admiral Countz by Rear Admiral W. C. Cole, chairman of the investigating body. The charges against De Valin were made by Comdr. R. G. Heiner, executive officer at the hospital.

"BLOSSOMS PARADE" IS VIEWED BY 25,000

Great Crowd Shivers in the Cold While Children March at Winchester.

Winchester, Va., May 4.—Swarms of visitors here for the third annual Shenandoah apple blossom festival were strung out tonight along the valley pike from Hagerstown, Md., to Staunton, Va., occupying rooms in hotels, boarding houses and inns, unable to get accommodations here. They will return tomorrow morning for the last and "big" day of the celebration, in honor of the blossoming of buds on 5,000,000 trees in commercial orchards of the Shenandoah Cumberland district.

A crowd of 25,000 stood shivering in cold and blustery weather today, watching 6,000 school children and seven bands march in the "parade of blossoms," opening feature of the fête.

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well's outfit was composed of 70 musicians and banner carriers. With fair and continued cool weather indicated, festival managers predicted a crowd of 50,000 would be here tomorrow for the civic, industrial, military and firemen's parade scheduled for 1 o'clock.

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STRIKE HAS BECOME AN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIR

HOUGHTON REPORTS TO OFFICIALS HERE ON LONDON'S CRISIS

Strike Is Engrossing Subject, but Views Are Unwelcome in London, Is Belief.

GREEN, FOR FEDERATION, UPHOLDS THE WORKMEN

People Taking the Situation Stoically, U. S. Envoy to Britain Says.

(By the Associated Press.)

Great Britain's first general strike created an engrossing subject for discussion in both official and labor circles of Washington yesterday, but the only statement forthcoming was that of William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, in which he sympathized with the British coal miners and declared their demands should be met.

Officials generally declined to speculate on the probable effects of the strike on American industry and commerce, in the belief that opinions in this country would not be wanted in England, and probably would unduly agitate an apparently serious situation.

Announcement was made at the White House that President Coolidge sees no connection between the crisis in England with labor conditions in this country, and that he does not believe the strike has progressed to the point where it might affect this country's commerce to an appreciable degree.

That conditions in the American coal industry were satisfactory was made known in a report to the President during the day by Secretary of Labor Davis, who based his information on a conference with John L. Lewis.

Mr. Lewis, who is in Washington on what he declared as routine matters, declined to comment today on the British strike.

Meanwhile, the government received its first official report on the strike from Ambassador Houghton, at London. As announced at the State Department, it declared that the people generally seemed to be taking the situation stoically, but that it could not be predicted whether the effect of the strike would be to force a renewal of peace negotiations within the next few days or whether it would lead to a prolonged conflict.

Military Leaves Stopped.

"The general strike began at midnight," Ambassador Houghton reported, "and will probably involve from 2,000,000 to 3,000,000 members of unions embracing mines, railroad engineers, transports, iron and steel, paper and printing and electrical trades."

"The railroad and postal services are partially maintained, but uncertain."

"The London underground railways and the principal omnibus lines are not running. Taxis have been partially affected."

"The people as a whole seem to take the situation stoically and are going quiet about their business. Many persons have enrolled as volunteers to maintain services and to act as special constables."

"Army and navy leaves have been stopped."

President Green made his statement after his arrival from his home in Ohio, where he passed the week-end. He declared the British miners were justified in their demand for a "decent living wage."

BRITISH, IN GRIP OF STRIKE, FACING DANGER OF HUNGER

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of the seamen and firemen to perform their duties.

Volunteer workers were so numerous that the London underground service will start today on a skeleton basis. One line began operation last night.

Some provincial cities hope to resume partial trolley service soon. At a big private meeting of the conservative party held at the house of common last night, it was announced that the strike status was still unchanged. Premier Baldwin and other ministers attended.

Both sides in Great Britain's mighty industrial struggle tonight were consolidating their positions with no indication that any new moves toward peace have been made.

Unionists Are Elated.

The government is staking its hopes in the constantly increasing number of volunteers to maintain food supplies and to restart a skeleton transport service tomorrow.

The trades unionists, for their part, are elated at the solidarity of the strikers' ranks. Telegrams received at the headquarters of the Trades Union congress in the course of the day from a score of provincial centers were unanimous in reporting that the shutdown of industry was the most complete in British history. Labor leaders professed amazement at the solidarity shown by the trades unionists in the strike, which they consider a sympathetic one for the welfare of the miners.

Reports at labor headquarters state that remarkable quiet prevails everywhere, even Glasgow, which is militantly communistic, being reported quiet but solidly behind the strike.

Better Than They Expected.

"All the railway men, transport workers and other trades are out," the labor officials said in a statement, "and the strike plans are working 'better than we expected.' 'The only difficulty,' the statement continued, 'has been to keep the men in what we might call the second line of defense, rather than call them off.'"

"We are very gratified that the strike is being carried on in an orderly, good-tempered manner. Our men everywhere are giving evidence of a desire to keep the peace."

"All our other reports, relative to food and transport, are satisfactory, and indicate that they are being handled by the local committees in accordance with the general council's arrangements."

(This is the general council of the Trades Union congress.) Several millions of Londoners devoted most of the morning getting to work, and most of the afternoon getting home again.

Afraid of accidents and in automobiles, they poured in from the suburbs, creating unprecedented traffic jams as the converging streams of humanity entered the narrow, twisting streets of the ancient city. At night the jams of the morning were repeated by the crowds which thus far have shown good nature.

The first approach to violence came yesterday at the East and West India cargo docks in the heart of the communist district of London.

Large bodies of men compelled scores of vehicles to turn back and some of the lighter vehicles were overturned. The attitude adopted toward those proceeding to work, even men in civvies, was far from friendly. All work ceased on the docks.

Twelve hours after the strike had and that their grievances should be quickly appeased. He expressed the hope that the British people would meet the situation in a characteristic manner to bring about a settlement.

BRITISH GET THRILL IN NOVEL SITUATION; CONDUCT IS PRAISED

Good Humor Prevails First Day of Tie-Up; Idlers Fill the Thoroughfares.

FOOD BEING DELIVERED ACCORDING TO PLEDGES

Laborites and Liberals Halt Opposition to Budget Procedure.

(By the Associated Press.)

London met its novel experience of a general strike and all its manifold inconveniences with good humor. The almost universal opinion of the populace is that the strike will not last many days. In its varied aspects it was a new thrill for the people.

London was converted from an omnibus and tram city to a motor car city today; nobody believed that so many cars existed. The main streets looked the same, yet not the same; in the busy shopping centers there were fewer well-dressed idlers than customary, but the absentees, frightened by the strike, were replaced by another class of idlers, men deprived of their occupations by the strike, who were an air of listless curiosity. They formed long lines wherever news bulletins of the progress of the strike were displayed, this being the only available method of distributing the news in the almost complete absence of newspapers, except an occasional bulletin broadcast by radio.

Motor Cars Fill Streets.

The streets presented a new panorama of swiftly moving traffic, dangerous to pedestrians. The usual unending lines of trams and buses were replaced by far more numerous automobiles, not being, as the buses are, by a comparative slow pace, and the motor vehicles moved fast, except at important intersecting points, where had tie-ups occurred.

Thus far the strike has been orderly and well conducted. A government spokesman in a radio statement today admitted that the officials of the Trades Union congress who had undertaken to assist in the voluntary work of maintaining food and other supplies had been as good as their word, while all records received testify the strikers proving obedient to their leaders.

The deputy chief civil commissioner, who qualified the statement paid tribute to the behavior of the people throughout the country. The miners' leaders in Northumberland, he added, had guaranteed the delivery of foodstuffs in that area, and there had been no disorders of any kind.

The sitting of the house of commons today had no reference to the strike, except that Premier Baldwin announced that tomorrow would be devoted to consideration of the emergency powers act. The premier explained that no regulations whatever could be imposed under the act without the consent of parliament.

Budget Is Not Opposed.

Philip Snowden, in behalf of the labor party, announced that he would allow the present stage of the budget resolutions to be taken without strenuous opposition, because the laborites recognized it was due to the government under the present exceptional circumstances to have the whole time of parliament at its disposal.

Mr. Lloyd George made a similar concession in behalf of the liberals, and the budget resolutions, including the betting tax, were therefore passed through the report stage on the understanding that a full debate would be permitted in the subsequent committee stage.

French Workers Pledge Aid; Propaganda Favored

Paris, May 4 (By A. P.).—Representatives of the French miners, railwaymen, dockers and maritime workers today passed resolutions of sympathy for the British strikers, saying "all efforts will be made to contribute to the success of their movement."

The statement issued by the French federations in behalf of their unions asks all French unionists to keep up propaganda in order that French firms may not "maneuver in any way likely to hinder the successful outcome of the movement in which British comrades are engaged."

U. S. Mine Workers Delay Action for Information

Hazleton, Pa., May 4 (By A. P.). The United Mine Workers of America will take no immediate action in connection with the British strike, said Thomas Kennedy, international secretary-treasurer of the United Mine Workers today. Mr. Kennedy said he had been officially notified of the strike by Frank Hodges, secretary of the miners' international federation, in a cable dated London, May 2. It simply said: "Lockout British miners began midnight. Writing."

Mr. Kennedy said that until full information is received regarding the British strike no statement or action would be forthcoming from the United Mine Workers.

Coal Demands Reasonable, In Opinion of German Labor

Berlin, May 4 (By A. P.).—German labor, while unable to pass judgment on the tactics employed by the British workers, feels that the British miners are reasonable in insisting in principle that the

coal industry must be reformed by abolishing the small unprofitable pits.

In outlining this attitude, Peter Grassmann, vice chairman of the general federation of trades unions, today said:

"Four hundred years ago we in Germany began mining coal. We soon realized that it is an impossible and uneconomic situation to have only 40 or 50 men working in a mine. Long before the war the smaller undertakings were abandoned and only pits with from 400 to 500 workers operated."

Herr Grassmann believes the British strike will be of short duration. "Men like J. H. Thomas and Ramsey MacDonald are much too experienced and statesmanlike to risk disarrangement of British life for a long period," he declared.

Schwab Says Britain Faces Greatest Peril

Asheville, N. C., May 4 (By A. P.).—"The present situation is more dangerous than any England has ever faced," declared Charles M. Schwab, who is resting at a local hotel tonight. The steel king sees a situation that may mean history-making changes, but declared that England would never drift into what Russia became.

He foresaw no conceivable effect upon labor or labor conditions in this country, declared that he is an optimist and that he could be nothing but optimistic with the industrial situation in the United States as it is at present. He paid tribute to the work of Mussolini in Italy and the Spanish dictator, declaring that at the present time both countries were prosperous.

SAKLATVALA BAILED TO KEEP THE PEACE

Communist M. P. Accused of Making Seditious Speech, Urging Revolt.

London, May 4 (By A. P.).—Shapurji Saklatvala, the only communist member of parliament, was arrested today on a charge of making a seditious speech in Hyde park on Sunday. He was arraigned in the Bow street police court, remanded for further hearing and bound over, with sureties, to keep the peace.

In the course of the proceedings the prosecuting attorney read extracts from Saklatvala's speech in Hyde park, which a policeman took down in shorthand. He was quoted in part as saying:

"We saw a van load of black shirts (fascists) in Oxford street, with nothing in sight but Union Jacks. The Union Jack has for hundreds of years been doing nothing but harboring fools and rogues. We know they are preparing to fight us. We know they are preparing to kill us. They are preparing to throw bombs. We want to tell the army boys that they must revolt now, and refuse to fight."

West Virginia Coal Sought for Britain

Charleston, W. Va., May 4 (By A. P.).—Several inquiries from New York for West Virginia coal for shipment to Great Britain have been received here, D. C. Kennedy, secretary of the Kanawha Coal Operators association, said today. He believed southern West Virginia coal would be the chief source of British supply should the British strike continue long. The low volatile coal of this region, Kennedy said, was the nearest like the Welsh coal of any obtainable in this country.

Two British coal dealers, last fall, visited the southern West Virginia field, obtaining information which they announced was for use in event of a British strike May 1.

SOME SHIP LINES FEEL EFFECTS OF WALKOUT

American Farmer Unable to Get Cargo Unloaded at Tilbury Docks.

NO TENDERS FOR LINERS

London, May 4 (By A. P.).—The first American ship to be affected by the general strike is the American Farmer, of the American Merchant Line, which is tied up in the Tilbury docks and is unable to unload its cargo. The ship arrived from New York yesterday, but the dockers under what are described as "go slow" orders, moved only 120 tons of freight yesterday and then went on strike today.

The American Farmer's cargo includes 500 tons of cold storage foodstuffs.

Hamburg, Germany, May 4 (By A. P.).—The United American, Hamburg American and other steamship lines touching at English ports are already feeling the effect of the British strike, having been notified that tender service is not available at Southampton.

Forty passengers for Southampton, ready to board the Reliance, which sailed today, turned back when informed that they would be unable to land. The Reliance may proceed to New York from Cherbourg, not touching at Southampton.

Freight and passenger service between German and English ports is at a standstill.

New York, May 4 (By A. P.).—Shipping officials here announced a "business as usual" program today.

The general strike in England, if prolonged, may disrupt shipping service between England and America, but no immediate crippling of transatlantic commerce is expected, they said. Up to the present no changes have been made in sailing dates of vessels plying between this and English ports, no passenger reservations have been canceled and none of the 8,000 British seamen in the port of New York has deserted the ships.

It was stated at the Cunard docks that the Aquitania, with a crew of 378, would sail at 1 a. m. tomorrow as scheduled. Members of the crew said they would join the strikers on arrival at Southampton.

No difficulty is expected in handling the Leviathan, which left here Saturday, when it docks at Southampton Thursday, according to a cable message received at the United States Line from its London agent.

Search of Homes Legal Under Decree

London, May 4 (By A. P.).—One typical wartime measure, which abolishes for the time being the proud boast that an Englishman's home is his castle, became effective today when an order in council under the emergency powers act was issued.

In effect the order permits any police constable to enter any premises on place suspected of being used for the production of documents which are likely to cause mutiny, sedition or disaffection among the king's forces.

Italians Defeat Tribesmen.

Rome, May 4 (By A. P.).—Another victory for the Italian colonial troops in Tripolitania was reported today. East of Gadamah, a column of troops attacked raiding Mehalla tribesmen and dispersed them. The rebels left many dead on the field, including a chief. A large number of camels were captured.

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WET AND DRY BILLS TO BE CONSIDERED BY JUDICIARY BODY

Senate Subcommittee Expected to Make Formal Reports on Measures.

SENATORS AGAIN CLASH
OVER PROHIBITION LAW

Sheppard and Ferris Defend
Volstead Act; Bruce Hits
Back at Drys.

By ALBERT W. FOX.

Coincident with another prohibition battle in the Senate yesterday, it became known that the subcommittee of the Senate judiciary committee will meet today and consider the various bills which were before that subcommittee during the recent wet and dry hearings.

The reports which the subcommittee will make to the full committee will be more formalities, it is explained, as the dry senators will report favorably on the dry bills and Senator Reed, of Missouri, is expected to favor measures for modification.

Senator Sheppard, coauthor of the Volstead act, and Senator Ferris, of Michigan, made prepared speeches yesterday in defense of the Volstead act. Neither would permit interruptions, but the modificationists had their innings later when Senator Bruce made an extemporaneous reply.

Recalls Old Days.

The feature of Senator Ferris' speech was his opening description of the old days up in New York State when he was a boy working on his father's farm. His father, he said, had to have a jug of whiskey for the farm help, as otherwise it was not possible to procure labor. This whiskey cost 25 cents a gallon, the senator said, and was "pure liquor." It was part of the senator's duty, as a boy, to dispense this whiskey twice a day to all hands, and to hide it the rest of the time. Every one, even visiting preachers, drank it, the senator said.

With respect to present conditions, Senator Ferris remarked, "It is a deplorable fact that so-called good men have joined this dangerous army of antiprohibitionists. There is no more harmful philosophy expounded today than that of self-gratification."

Referring to the recent wet and dry hearings, he said, "I believe that this investigation will awaken the American people to a realization of the critical condition we are now in."

Mr. Sheppard said prosperity, happiness and peace had followed in the wake of the eighteenth amendment. He denied that the crime wave was caused by prohibition, and he read statement after statement from prominent persons who were quoted in favor of the Volstead act in interviews printed by the Manufacturers Record of Baltimore.

Bruce Refutes Claim.

Senator Bruce, in reply, said the activities of the Manufacturers Record on behalf of the Volstead act had been exposed when it developed that their claim that only 2 per cent of 1,000 leading manufacturers favored light wines and beer was not founded on fact.

"Instead of 1,000 only 438 statements were given in 1922, and in 1925 only 215 statements were printed by this magazine," said Senator Bruce. This meant, the senator from Maryland declared, that 223 refused to commit themselves after their original statements.

Further, the senator added, an investigation conducted by the Daily Commercial News of California showed that more than 60 per cent of the 844 advertisers in the Manufacturers Record favored beer.

"The senator from Texas," said Mr. Bruce, "reminds me of a child that takes up a handful of dust and says 'see, I have the whole earth in my grasp.'"

According to Senator Bruce it is not the duty of the citizen to attempt to obey an utterly impractical and visionary law. Implying that the arguments of the dry senators were simply statements of evident platitudes, Senator Bruce added:

"I admit that ice is cold. I admit that boiling water is hot. I admit that if drunk to excess, drink makes men drunk and that if they continue to get drunk long enough they will debauch themselves and this leads to moral ruin.

"But the senator from Michigan might as well tell people to abstain from legitimate love because illegitimate love leads to madness and moral ruin. All human tendencies, all human appetites may run to extremes. The senator from Texas and the senator from Michigan seem to think that man is like a shoe in a modern shoe shop, and can be made over while you wait."

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Capitol Lawn Yields Harvest of Dandelions

(By Associated Press.)

On the spacious green that slopes away from the Capitol, where the Volstead law was written and passed, dandelion pickers have been busy at work for several days.

They arrive early in the morning equipped with large baskets and on hands and knees work busily until these are filled—and the crop is far from exhausted. Congress has taken no official recognition of the harvest.

ARMY CAPTAIN CONVICTED OF POSSESSING LIQUOR

C. W. Cutchins Sentenced to
50 Fines Reduction and 6
Months Confinement.

San Antonio, Tex., May 4 (By A. P.).—Capt. C. W. Cutchins, of the First Infantry, Second division, was found guilty of illegally possessing liquor by an army court-martial at Fort Sam Houston today. His punishment was set at 50 fines reduction and six months' confinement to the post.

Specifications included intoxication and making himself unfit for military duty. Of these he was declared not guilty.

The trial was similar in several respects to the recent "cocktail" court-martial at San Diego marine base of Col. A. S. Williams. Capt. Cutchins' superior officer, Col. John L. Dewitt, preferred charges against him. Records were introduced by the defense to show that the captain had been ill at the time the liquor was found in his room and that subsequent to March 15, the date on which he was accused of being unfit for duty, he went to the hospital. His illness was influenza, the records showed.

Capt. Cutchins' room was raided March 9, without a warrant. This procedure was upheld by the court-martial. Testimony was that Col. Dewitt sent a soldier into the room through a window to unlock the door, and that the colonel then entered and searched the quarters, finding a small quantity of whiskey.

Timber Fires Rage On Over 15,000-Acre Area

Asheville, N. C., May 4 (By A. P.).—Flames which have swept over 15,000 acres of valuable timber land during the last few days were raging tonight with unabated fury on the sides of Grandfather mountain, in the Boone area of the Pisgah national forest, according to word reaching here.

Emergency calls to nearby towns brought several hundred additional fire fighters and much apparatus from the forestry stations of neighboring areas. It was reported, and the morning's efforts to bring the stubborn flames under control will be renewed.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, CENSOR BILLS KILLED

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.)

the country at large to place education on such a national plane that it will be possible for the Federal government to aid the States in raising the standards so that diplomas can not be "bought and sold."

In the committee, however, the question was whether the educational bill which was not the commencement of Federal paternalism in the field of education and whether it also did not mean a further encroachment upon the functions of State governments.

With the announcement of the decision last night evidences of intensive lobbying for the educational bill and the censorship measure sponsored by the representative from Georgia came into evidence. So far as the former measure was concerned it was declared only a few weeks ago that there were 170 members of the House pledged to bring it to a favorable vote. Behind it was the usual activity of some educators and various klan leaders.

Yesterday's developments came at the close of an open hearing which was marked by some torrid exchanges. One of the exciting incidents came with a remark which came from Representative Upshaw. "The Georgian had declared that 'nobody can be opposed to censorship of pictures except those who favor unclean things.'"

Mrs. Florence Kahn, of California, demanded that Mr. Upshaw withdraw the remark.

"I hope that my colleague has not misunderstood me," suggested the Georgian. "It was just a playful remark of mine; just a playful way of talking to my colleague, Mr. La Guardia."

Just as they were pouring oil on troubled waters, Representative La Guardia, of New York, enlivened the proceedings by a strenuous denial that he had represented the motion picture interests of New York which had been alleged by Canon Chase, of New York.

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Permitted Freedom in En-
tering British Ports.

(By the Associated Press.)

Great Britain wants to do its part toward preventing the smuggling of liquor into the United States.

The London government so advised Secretary Kellogg in suggesting a conference to work out by informal agreements cooperative measures for tightening the rum blockade. The invitation to a conference to be held shortly in London has been accepted.

Correspondence between Washington and London on the subject, made public last night, discloses that the idea for tighter restrictions with Great Britain's aid originated with British authorities and that the conference was intended as "proof of the desire of the U. S. government to give such assistance" to American prohibition agencies "as it is possible to give in the circumstances."

In accepting the invitation with "deep appreciation," Secretary Kellogg said the American delegation should arrive in London by the end of May. The American delegates will include Assistant Secretary Andrews of the Treasury, William R. Vallance, assistant to the solicitor of the State Department, and Rear Admiral Billard, commandant of the coast guard.

Acting Against Smugglers.

The correspondence reveals that British shipping laws are being enforced rigidly against vessels suspected of rum running, that registers of shipping in the West Indies have been called up to the special care to prevent transfer to the British flag of vessels intended for the smuggling trade and that the British want to remove liquor smugglers from the register of that country.

Specific instances where British shipping laws have been applied with unusual severity against suspected rum runners are cited as additional proof of the desire to cooperate with American prohibition authorities. The correspondence points out that if American agents will help supply evidence for the prosecution of liquor smugglers British officials will be glad to institute proceedings for their conviction. Accepting this offer, Mr. Kellogg added:

"I can assure you that this government will cooperate fully in assisting your government in obtaining the necessary evidence on which to prosecute persons who violate British laws."

Royal Charity Work Is Not Interrupted

London, May 4 (By A. P.).—The general strike will apparently not interrupt royalty's appearance at charity affairs.

The Princess Mary, Viscountess Lascelles, undismayed by the dense traffic, made her way in a limousine through Piccadilly to the Shaftesbury theater for a performance in aid of the children's hospital, of which she is patroness.

YOUNG ABBOTT FREED OF CHARGE IN ROME

Did Not Insult Premier, Is
Ruling; Faces Assault
Case; Leaves Jail.

Rome, May 4 (By A. P.).—An investigating magistrate today ordered the immediate release of John Adams Abbott, member of a prominent Boston family, who has been held in jail here for the last week. The charge that he had insulted Premier Mussolini was shown to be unfounded.

Abbott was arrested on the complaint of an Italian guide, Salvatore Astrologo, whom the American vanquished in a fist fight following an argument over their respective places in line while waiting entrance to the Vatican gardens. The fight took place in front of Abbott's hotel, where Astrologo, accompanied by two friends, sought him after the argument. Astrologo received a fractured jaw.

While cleared of the charge of insulting the premier, the young American must still face the assault proceedings brought by the guide. Lawyers say that the penalty, if Abbott is convicted, will be very light.

DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.

Met at noon, May 4, and recessed at 7:25 p. m. until today at 12 o'clock.

Senators Ferris, of Michigan, and Sheppard, of Texas, spoke in favor of prohibition, and Senator Bruce, of Maryland, against.

Considered \$165,000,000 public building bill.

Senator Pass, of Ohio, from library committee, favorably reported bill to enlarge and relocate botanical garden.

Shipping Board contract for sale of five vessels in Pacific service to the dollar interests again under fire before commerce committee.

Insular committee considered Philippine auditor bill, but deferred action.

Commerce favorably reported House \$75,000,000 Federal aid roads bill, extending authorization for aid through fiscal year 1926.

Insular committee ordered favorable report on bill authorizing Secretary of Interior to call on American conference on education, recreation and recreation at Honolulu in April or May, 1927.

With exception of minor amendments, interstate commerce committee approved reconstructed radio bill taking all control from Department of Commerce and placing it in five-man independent commission.

Proposal of Senator King, of Utah, to amend the Federal Reserve Act, reclamation and recreation at Honolulu in April or May, 1927.

Met at noon May 4 and adjourned at 5:20 p. m. until today at 12 o'clock.

Began debate on farm relief legislation.

Chairman Haugen gave explanation of his measure. A Democratic assault was led by Mr. Pott, of North Carolina, who characterized the bill as "gold brick" handed to the South.

Move by Democrats on ways and means committee to get information on alien property transactions was characterized by Mr. Mills, of New York, as effort to obtain campaign material.

Mr. Connally, of Texas, urged adoption of his resolution for investigation of alien property funds. Adopted resolution describing as "irrelevant and impertinent" reply of Federal Judge English, of Illinois, to impeachment charges filed against him.

Education committee closed hearings on motion picture censorship bills.

Speaker Longworth appointed Temple, of Pennsylvania; Mills, of New York, and Stobbs, of Massachusetts, Republicans, and McSweeney, of Ohio, and Tucker, of Virginia, to represent House at one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Virginia declaration of independence; also, Frothingham, of Massachusetts, and Strothers, of West Virginia, Republicans, and Hull, of Tennessee; Linthicum, of Maryland,

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SENATORS AGAIN CLASH
OVER PROHIBITION LAW

Sheppard and Ferris Defend
Volstead Act; Bruce Hits
Back at Drys.

By ALBERT W. FOX.
Coincident with another prohibition battle in the Senate yesterday, it became known that the subcommittee of the Senate judiciary committee will meet today and consider the various bills which were before this subcommittee during the recent wet and dry hearings.

The reports which the subcommittee will make to the full committee will be more formalities, it is explained, as the dry senators will report favorably on the dry bills and Senator Reed, of Missouri, is expected to favor measures for modification.

Senator Sheppard, coauthor of the Volstead act, and Senator Ferris, of Michigan, made prepared speeches yesterday in defense of the Volstead act. Neither would permit interruptions, but the modificationists held their innings later when Senator Bruce made an extemporaneous reply.

Recalls Old Days.
The feature of Senator Ferris' speech was his opening description of the old days up in New York State when he was a boy working on his father's farm. His father, he said, had to have a jug of whiskey for the farm help, as otherwise it was not possible to procure labor.

This whiskey cost 25 cents a gallon, the senator said, and was "pure liquor." It was part of the senator's duty, as a boy, to dispense this whiskey twice a day to all hands, and to hide it the rest of the time. Every one, even visiting preachers, drank it, the senator said.

With respect to present conditions, Senator Ferris remarked, "It is a deplorable fact that so-called good men have joined this dangerous army of anti-prohibitionists. There is no more harmful philosophy expounded today than that of self-gratification."

Referring to the recent wet and dry hearings, he said, "I believe that this investigation will awaken the American people to a realization of the critical condition we are now in."

Mr. Sheppard said prosperity, happiness and peace had followed in the wake of the eighteenth amendment. He denied that the crime wave was caused by prohibition, and he read statement after statement from prominent persons who were quoted in favor of the Volstead act in interviews printed by the Manufacturers Record of Baltimore.

Bruce Refutes Claim.
Senator Bruce, in reply, said the activities of the Manufacturers Record on behalf of the Volstead act had been exposed when it developed that their claim that only 7 per cent of 1,000 leading manufacturers favored light wines and beer was not founded on fact.

"Instead of 1,000 only 438 statements were given in 1922, and in 1925 only 215 statements were printed by this magazine," said Senator Bruce. This meant, the senator from Maryland declared, that 223 refused to commit themselves after their original statements.

Further, the senator added, an investigation conducted by the Daily Commercial News of California showed that more than 60 per cent of the 844 advertisers in the Manufacturers Record favored beer. "The senator from Texas," said Mr. Bruce, "reminds me of a child that takes up a handful of dust and says 'See, I have the whole earth in my grasp.'"

According to Senator Bruce it is not the duty of the citizen to attempt to obey an utterly impractical and visionary law. Implying that the arguments of the dry senators were simply statements of evident platitudes, Senator Bruce added:

"I admit that ice is cold. I admit that boiling water is hot. I admit that if drunk to excess, drink makes men drunk and that if they continue to get drunk long enough they will debauch themselves and this leads to moral ruin."

"But the senator from Michigan might as well tell people to abstain from legitimate love because illegitimate love leads to madness and moral ruin. All human tendencies, all human appetites may run to extremes. The senator from Texas and the senator from Michigan seem to think that man is like a shoe in a modern shoe shop, and can be made over while you wait."

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Capitol Lawn Yields Harvest of Dandelions

(By Associated Press.)
On the spacious green that slopes away from the Capitol, where the Volstead law was written and passed, dandelion pickers have been busy at work for several days.

They arrive early in the morning equipped with large baskets and on hands and knees work busily until these are filled—and the crop is far from exhausted.

Congress has taken no official recognition of the harvest.

ARMY CAPTAIN CONVICTED OF POSSESSING LIQUOR

C. W. Cutchins Sentenced to
50 Fines Reduction and 6
Months Confinement.

San Antonio, Tex., May 4 (By A. P.).—Capt. C. W. Cutchins, of the First Infantry, Second division, was found guilty of illegally possessing liquor by an army court-martial at Fort Sam Houston today. His punishment was set at 50 fines reduction and six months' confinement to the post.

Specifications included intoxication and making himself unfit for military duty. Of these he was declared not guilty.

The trial was similar in several respects to the recent "cocktail" court-martial at San Diego marine base of Col. A. S. Williams. Capt. Cutchins' superior officer, Col. John L. Dewitt, preferred charges against him. Records were introduced by the defense to show that the captain had been ill at the time the liquor was found in his room and that subsequent to March 15, the date on which he was accused of being unfit for duty, he went to the hospital. His illness was influenza, the records showed.

Capt. Cutchins' room was raided March 9, without a warrant. This procedure was upheld by the court-martial. Testimony was that Col. Dewitt sent a soldier into the room through a window to unlock the door, and that the colonel then entered and searched the quarters, finding a small quantity of whiskey.

Timber Fires Rage On Over 15,000-Acre Area

Asheville, N. C., May 4 (By A. P.).—Plumes which have swept over 15,000 acres of valuable timber land during the last few days were raging tonight with unabated fury on the sides of Grandfather mountain, in the Boone area of the Pisgah national forest, according to word reaching here.

Emergency calls to nearby towns brought several hundred additional fire fighters and much apparatus from the forestry stations of neighboring areas. It was reported, and in the morning the efforts to bring the stubborn flames under control will be renewed.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT, CENSOR BILLS KILLED

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the country at large to place education on such a national plane that it will be possible for the Federal government to aid the States in raising the standards so that diplomas can not be "bought and sold."

In the committee, however, the question was whether the educational bill was or was not the commencement of Federal paternalism in the field of education and whether it also did not mean a further encroachment upon the functions of State governments.

With the announcement of the decision last night evidences of intensive lobbying for the educational bill and the censorship measure sponsored by the representative from Georgia came into evidence. So far as the former measure was concerned it was declared only a few weeks ago that there were 170 members of the House pledged to bring it to a favorable vote. Behind it was the usual activity of some educators and various Klan leaders.

Yesterday's developments came at the close of an open hearing which was marked by some torrid exchanges. One of the exciting incidents came with a remark which came from Representative Upshaw. The Georgian had declared that "nobody can be opposed to censorship of pictures except those who favor unclean things."

Mrs. Florence Kahn, of California, demanded that Mr. Upshaw withdraw the remark.

"I hope that my colleague has not misunderstood me," suggested the Georgian. "It was just a playful remark of mine; just a playful way of talking to my colleague, Mr. La Guardia."

Just as they were pouring oil on troubled waters, Representative La Guardia, of New York, enlivened the proceedings by a strenuous denial that he had represented the motion picture interests of New York which had been alleged by Canon Chase, of New York.

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DAY IN CONGRESS

SENATE.
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Senators Ferris, of Michigan, and Sheppard, of Texas, spoke in favor of prohibition, and Senator Bruce, of Maryland, against.

Considered \$165,000,000 public building bill.

Senator Fess, of Ohio, from library committee, favorably reported bill to enlarge and relocate Botanic garden.

Shipping Board contract for sale of five vessels in Pacific service to the Dollar interests again under fire before commerce committee.

Insular committee considered Philippine auditor bill, but deferred action.

Committee favorably reported House \$75,000,000 Federal aid roads bill, extending authorization for aid through fiscal year 1926.

Insular committee ordered favorable report on bill authorizing Secretary of Interior to call pan-American conference on education, reclamation and recreation at Honolulu in April or May, 1927.

With exception of minor amendments, interstate commerce committee approved reconstructed radio bill taking all control from Department of Commerce and placing it in five-man independent commission.

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Began debate on farm relief legislation.

Chairman Haugen gave explanation of his measure. A Democratic assault was led by Mr. Pon, of North Carolina, who characterized bill as "gold brick" handed to the South.

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TWO RAILROAD SITUATIONS.

The railroad workers of Great Britain are helping to paralyze that country in the general strike. The railroad workers of the United States are not only at work, but have actually joined with their employers in agreeing upon a plan which, if enacted into law, will make strikes next to impossible, by substituting amicable negotiations and arbitrations.

There is industrial war in Britain. There is industrial peace in the United States. The workers of Britain and the government are in collision. The workers of the United States are the pillars of the government. Employers and employees in Britain have found it impossible to agree, and both sides are committing suicide. Employers and employees in the United States are in unison, enthusiastically building up the country.

Is there no lesson in this for Congress? When the railroads and their workers appear together and ask Congress to enact a law that will do away with railroad strikes, why in the name of common sense should Congress hesitate to enact the law?

Some shippers have objected, on the ground that the railroads and their workers are in a conspiracy to boost wages later on, at the expense of shippers. That can not be done without the consent of the United States government. There is nothing in the contention of the shippers.

It is said that the railroads have agreed to the pending bill because the workers have threatened to strike. This also is nonsense. If the railroads were threatened by a general strike they would not be in favor of tying their own hands by giving some one else—to wit, the United States government—the final power to determine the terms upon which they must employ their men.

The Parker-Watson bill is a measure that breathes the pure American spirit of fair play, good temper, and friendly adjustment on the basis of the square deal. Neither side is given any advantage. Each must prove its case when it enters into a controversy, or take the consequences of impartial judgment. Wage disputes will pass from the realm of disturbance and violence into the calm atmosphere of patient consideration and honest adjudication.

At this time, when one of the foremost industrial nations is in the throes of a war between workers and government, the opportunity is before Congress to remove such a danger from this country, so far as the railroads are concerned. The bill should pass soon, and by an overwhelming vote.

The best philanthropy for the fine old American stock would be to endow a high chair.

THE FOREIGN TRADE SERVICE.

Half a score of bills designed to increase the export of agricultural products are pending in Congress, and the probabilities favor the enactment of some legislation in that direction before adjournment. In the meantime there is pending in the Senate a bill which has already passed the House to give permanent status to that division of the Department of Commerce which has done much toward the development of foreign trade. This bill which bears the name of its author, Representative Hoch, of Kansas, gives a fixed and definitive legislative status to the foreign service of the Department of Commerce, which has developed under congressional authorization carried in an appropriation act of 1905.

Until recent years the consular service was a political organization. Appointments were made for political reasons only, and the tenure of office of a consul depended upon the will of the President. Business men desiring to increase their foreign trade were constantly hampered by the lack of training of new men appointed by each incoming administration, which was compelled through political pressure to regard the consulates as election spoils. But all this has been changed, and now ability is the prime requisite for retention and promotion in the service.

The foreign service of the Commerce Department has been able through the cooperation of these trained consular representatives to assist materially in the development and increase of the export business of America, and it is with this in view that the Hoch bill is being urged by practically every business concern having foreign trade connections.

When it is shown that the export trade of the United States reached the enormous total of \$4,819,041,495 during the calendar year 1925 there would appear no further need of argument in support of a bill to give permanent status to the division of the Department of Commerce which has supervision of this vast trade. In the language of the House committee, which is incorporated in the Senate report, "The problem of the disposal of American surpluses to assure stability, both in trade and industry of every character, makes it indispensable that the United States maintain an expert foreign trade service in the major areas of the world."

The Hoch bill has the unanimous support of the Senate commerce committee, and Senator Willis, who is in charge of the measure, hopes to get it through the Senate before adjournment.

The real point is not that the good die young, but that the young die good.

THE RETIREMENT BILL.

President Coolidge has taken pains to inquire into the civil employees' retirement proposals. He is said to favor a plan for liberalizing annuities which will come within the scope of the budget. He is willing to approve a bill that would increase annuities to \$1,000, with an increase in the percentage paid by employees from their salaries.

In some quarters there is opposition to the plan that is apparently favored by the President. An effort will be made to push through a plan which he does not approve, and which calls for expenditures which are not provided for. Is it not quite possible that the friends of the employees who are insisting upon enactment of the bill which would give them annuities of \$1,200 are risking the defeat of all legislation of this character at this session? Would it not be better for all concerned to adopt the plan believed to have the President's approval? That would mean an increase in annuities to those already on the retired list—and this increase would give great relief. There is no reason why another effort should not be made hereafter to raise the annuity to \$1,200, and doubtless President Coolidge would not have the slightest objection to considering the subject later, in the light of the situation as it will then exist.

Adversity will develop what you've got in you, but it can't give manhood to a born whiner.

"IZZY" PRESSER'S PAROLE.

The announcement that Gov. Smith of New York, has revoked the parole of "Izzy" Presser and that he is determined to make a thorough investigation of the work of the State parole board has met with the complete approval of the press of the State. The excuse given for shortening the term of the arch criminal was that he had furnished valuable evidence against other criminals, perhaps less dangerous than himself. The record made by "Izzy" in New York and New Jersey is bad enough to keep him behind the bars for a much longer period than he has to serve.

Gov. Smith will investigate personally the amazing action of the parole board, and it is believed throughout the State that his inquiry will lead to some startling facts concerning the "pull" which "Izzy" seems to have enjoyed. The parole board's resentment at the governor's determination to find out for himself the extent and source of that "pull" is not likely to lead any of the members of the board to resign voluntarily, but if the governor succeeds, as seems probable, in uncovering facts which may lead to the assumption that improper means were used in securing the favorable action of the board, no one will shed a tear should all the members of the board be invited to retire.

Still, sir, it wasn't the beribboned pigtail you loved, but the freckled little girl who wore it.

HEALTH AND EDUCATION.

Creation of a bureau of hygiene in the District health department, to supervise proper medical inspection of pupils and teachers in the public schools, to look after sanitary conditions in the school buildings, provide for instruction of teachers and scholars in hygiene, and to prevent the spread of disease and carry on general health promotion work, has been proposed in a bill introduced in the House by Representative Begg, of Ohio. In discussing his bill Representative Begg said:

Today the development of health is recognized by all educational leaders as one of the primary objects of all education. Cities throughout the country recognize the great importance of this work, but in this movement the Capital of our nation is far behind. The situation calls for serious attention.

Mr. Begg asserted that the slogan which calls for millions of dollars for school buildings but not an additional cent to safeguard the health of children using these buildings is not based upon experience or upon common sense. The Begg bill is the outgrowth of an investigation by the Monday Evening club, and it is understood has been endorsed by the District health authorities, welfare leaders and physicians.

There has been frequent criticism of the system of medical inspection and of the alleged insanitary conditions of some of the public school buildings of Washington. Recently it was disclosed by a deputy fire inspector that two of the high school buildings were not properly protected against fire. It has long been said that the pupils are not properly safeguarded in the matter of health. Such a situation should not be permitted to exist in the National Capital.

A bill similar to that introduced by Representative Begg will be presented in the Senate.

Things work out rather well. Those who have less need spend less to reduce fat.

FARMERS' FUEL.

One of the unexpected results of the recent strike of the anthracite coal miners is the preparations which have been made by Eastern farmers against such another fuel shortage. In recent years farm owners have drifted away from the use of wood as fuel for cooking and heating purposes and have been in the habit of using coal instead. One of the reasons for the change is found in the extension of "good roads," which have simplified the fuel transportation from the railroad stations to farm houses. Another has been the difficulty in securing the necessary labor to insure an adequate woodpile, but the most important, perhaps, is the growing disposition of the owner of a "wood-lot" to regard growing timber as an asset to be fostered and encouraged.

Early in the last century millions of cords of hard woods were cut and burned and the ashes leached. From this leaching was produced wood-lye, which in turn was boiled to produce "black ash," the basis of about all

the potash in the early days of America. It is estimated that millions of bushels, maple and other hardwood trees were cleared off the lands in western New York and Pennsylvania and transformed into potash, which was accepted by the original owners of the lands as part payment on the "purchase money" mortgages.

The day for the destruction of the wood lands and their conversion into meadows and pastures passed long ago. However, recent travelers through those regions, once heavily timbered, assert that during the last winter there has been more timber felled and cut into "stove lengths" than has been cut in the winter months for many years. The farms in the foothills of the Alleghenies in New York and Pennsylvania, particularly, are reported to be supplied with sufficient fuel now seasonally to assure comfort to every household in the event of another strike among the miners, even if the strike should cut off the coal supply for two years instead of six months.

One very satisfactory result of this change in the character of the farmers' fuel is found in the fact that there is a disposition to conserve the supply and to use up much of the wood which was formerly wasted, such as limbs and branches, once regarded as not worth saving.

As a rule it takes unreasonable people to afford momentum enough to accomplish a reasonable reform.

FARMERS AND TAXES.

One great trouble with agriculture is State and local taxes, over which the government and Congress have no control.

Direct and indirect taxes paid by farmers and owners of farm property in 1913 aggregated approximately \$624,000,000, or about 9 per cent of the gross agricultural income. In 1922 this had risen to approximately \$1,436,000,000, or about 13 per cent of the gross agricultural income. Thus State and local taxes on farms and farm property increased about 133 per cent in nine years.

Direct taxes on farm property, amounting to about \$265,000,000 in the period between 1909 and 1914, mounted to \$891,000,000 in 1924 and 1925. The most acute situation arose in 1920 and 1921, the very years of greatest agricultural distress and depression, when total taxes on farm property increased from \$596,000,000 to \$848,000,000, or about 42 per cent.

The farmer's tax item has increased steadily, while the prices he has received for his products have declined, except in 1925 and 1926, when the price level remained fairly steady. As the farmer's income decreased his State and local taxes increased.

How strange a world! A medal for the man who invented "Say it with flowers," and none for the man who first said, "When do we eat?"

WASHINGTON AND PALESTINE.

Something more than the usual interest attaches itself to the drive for \$50,000 which is being conducted just now by Washington Jewry as its quota this year toward the rebuilding of an historic homeland. That the amount required from the local Jewish community will be fully subscribed is taken for granted and speaks volumes for the persistence of a will to survive which characterizes the Jews as an ethnic group.

Palestine as a national home for the homeless Jewish people has passed through the stages of an apparently impractical vision, through an era where fears were more plentiful than hopes, to its present position as an experiment of the most real and practical nature. With the doors of the rest of the world closed to European Jewry, and in a postwar world of pessimism, unemployment and reaction, Palestine has opened its doors wide and is absorbing and training thousands of immigrants monthly, most of whom have been divorced from the soil for centuries.

Washington, the Capital of the nation, will watch with interest and sympathy the efforts at self-realization on the part of its Jews which are now to be manifested in the romantic land of their ancestors.

"More than one-half of the gross merchant vessel tonnage under the American flag is not in private hands. More than 92 per cent was in active service April 1.

TRAINING CAMPS.

The citizens' training camps for 1926 have been saved. Congress has appropriated an additional \$212,333 for transportation. This will enable men enrolled at a distance from the camps to have their transportation taken care of.

Heretofore Congress has limited transportation amounts so that only those near the camps could attend. Now it will be possible for young men who live distant from camps to attend them.

The number of citizens for whom places are available this year is 35,000. The season of 1926 promises to bring better results in military training than ever before. These camps have become a permanent institution; and bid fair to elevate loyal citizenship and promote broad patriotism throughout the land.

The world war is not so far distant that we may forget that preparedness is a national virtue and necessity.

"The great problem is that of distribution." It seems especially acute in the case of those who are putting on surplus flesh.

The most successful reformer is middle age.

The Worst Story I Heard Today—By Will Rogers

The Worst Joke I heard today was told to me by Alphonzo Bell, of Bellair, Calif. He is the one man in the Real Estate Business that had ideas in developing his plans and he didn't let money interfere with them. He told me of a funny happening while traveling in Scotland last summer:

On a railroad train in Scotland the fellow in the compartment next to us kept getting out and running into the station and up to the window every time the train would stop. Finally even the conductor could stand it no longer, so he asked the Scotchman what he meant by going up to every ticket office just before the train left.

"Well, my doctor told me I wouldn't live till I got to Aberdeen, so I don't want to buy a ticket any farther than I have to."

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It Used To Be Different—Now He Uses High Pressure Methods.

PRESS COMMENT.

A Real Dry.

Army and Navy Journal: It'll take more than a wet hearing at the Senate to keep the Congressional Record from being dry.

What Interests Them.

Indianapolis News: Congressmen should realize that radio users are not nearly so interested in legislation to control radio as they are in something that will eliminate static.

Some Day.

Detroit News: A Cambridge, Ohio, inventor has made an airplane with a wing spread of only 20 feet, and it is prophesied that eventually one will be constructed which can go through a window screen.

Of Course.

Minneapolis Journal: A Michigan farm of 120 acres has been sold for \$3,500 an acre, says the telegraph. If the purchaser fails to make the place pay dividends on the investment he will, of course, expect the government to do something about it.

Yes, Where?

Louisville Courier-Journal: Proposing the health of the President, a visitor in Berlin recently declared, "Of Hindenburg it will one day be said, as of Washington: First in war, first in peace, first in the hearts of his countrymen." But where does he get, "first in war?"

Colleges and Drama.

Philadelphia Inquirer: Students at Yale have been voting their dramatic preferences. They show remarkably good taste. Thus "A Doll's House" heads one list and "Cyrano de Bergerac" another.

What would have been their choice had they not voted under the eye of the professor? "The Follies," perhaps? In the old undergraduate days the first choice of the undergraduate was "The Black Crook."

New York Politics.

Chicago Tribune: Charles E. Hughes has refused to consider running for the governorship again. State leaders of his party were hoping that he would run in order to avert a factional fight over the liquor issue.

Mr. Hughes' refusal to see his party through an emergency offers a contrast to the conduct of Al Smith, the present governor.

Much of Mr. Smith's popularity must lie in his sense of duty to his party. He has never failed it.

In Springtime.

Baltimore Sun: Never does the United States look larger than in springtime, when conflicting weather reports from separated points make it seem a continent. Right now, for instance, Montana sends news of a general snowfall and Buffalo tells of a freighter stuck in the lake ice a mile outside the breakwater, while the South is glorious with flowers and almost fed up with strawberries. It's a great nation, geographically speaking, and most clearly so when spring sweeps across its broad expanse.

Crime in Britain.

New York World: The British home office has just published the criminal statistics of England and Wales for 1924, with an introductory report on tendencies in crime during the last generation. This shows that crimes of violence against the person are diminishing. There is also "a remarkable decline" in the annual number of

The Cost of Liberty

By GLENN FRANK.

WE shall never really master the art of using our severest critics to our best advantage until we have come really to believe that, in the words of a great American, "the cost of liberty is less than the price of repression."

It is important to remember that this famous sentence does not suggest that liberty can be practiced without cost.

The nation that pursues a policy of free speech, free press, and free assembly takes great and grave risks; it lets itself in for all sorts of trouble.

But a policy of no risks is even more risky. Prewar Russia took no risks with freedom of speech, press, and assembly, with the result that the czar fell a victim to a firing squad and the Russian people have had to pay the price of a tragic and costly upheaval.

Many advocates of repression seem to go on the assumption that every critic is a person devoted to revolutionary change as a sort of satanic sport, as other men are devoted to poker or to polo.

I suppose there are a few born revolutionists in the world, men who would try to organize a red left in Utopia or bolshevize the New Jerusalem, but I doubt that there are many such men in the whole world.

Most men who criticize things as they are either have or think they have a grievance.

In the interest of orderly progress, if for nothing else, all such critics should be given a fair hearing.

If a critic's grievance is just, we should hear him, and straightway correct the injustice.

If a critic's grievance is imaginary, we should still hear him, and then pit our brains against his to prove to him that his grievance is imaginary.

To deny him a hearing is not protecting the republic.

On the contrary, to deny him a fair hearing is the one sure way to convince him that force or violence is the only language in which he can really make himself heard.

A policy of "no risks" is a policy that may for a time produce a dumdummed subservience that is agreeable to autocrats, but in the end it is likely to breed revolt.

A denial to the critic of the right to criticize, not only shuts us off from the possible benefit we might derive from his criticism, but the repression results invariably in the banking up of a menacing flood of sullen anger that sooner or later bursts through the wall of restriction. A guided stream may irrigate the surrounding country; but a stream that bursts through a dam leaves wreckage in its wake.

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prosecutions for nonindictable offenses. The cases of drunkenness for 1924 were about 60 per cent less than the annual average in the period 1899-1903. As for murder, it remains stationary despite the steady increase in population. There were precisely 150 cases in 1924; a figure which, the home office points out, compares fairly well with the 8,000 homicides reported in the registration area of the United States. On the whole, Great Britain in recent years is more and more law-abiding.

PHRASES WORN RAGGED.

The imitative faculty so noticeable in children is responsible for the ease with which a phrase often half understood spreads through the community, says Dr. Fraser Harris in the Contemporary Review, London. Thus the words, "psychological moment," which as a joke were originally tolerable, have been used in season and out of season until the repetition is unbearable.

To some extent the phrase is illiterate, for if translated out of Greek it means "the study of the mind moment." What Oscar Wilde intended his character to say was the critical, right, suitable or opportune moment—no more than that. "Psychological" is not the synonym for any of these terms. Another silly phrase which has caught the fancy of our grown-up children is "I had a brain wave," when all that is meant is "It suddenly occurred to me." This is oftentimes used by those who know little or nothing about the brain or about waves. There is a third or fourth rate type of mind which rejoices in phrases and proverbs such as "the aching void," "the better the day the better the deed," and other superficial nonsequiturs.

The Centennial State.

Brooklyn Eagle: Colorado is to celebrate elaborately her fiftieth anniversary as a State of this Union. She came in August 1, 1876, the Centennial State, with a provision that the presidential electors in November were to be elected by a Republican legislature, not by the

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

Citizens Training Camps.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I note a fine article in The Post of today from Mr. Ralph S. Connell on the subject of "Citizens Military Training Camps."

The fact that, to include April 20, as a total in the United States fewer applications have been received than were last year, does not imply any doubt of the success of the camps in 1926. The condition this year is due to several reasons: The C. M. T. C. appropriation act was passed by Congress earlier last year than this; The lateness of cold weather has delayed serious plans for hot weather activities, etc.

Our own corps area, in this same report for April 20, has received 2,426 applications to 1,918 last year—over 26 per cent better. Washington is also well in advance of 1925. The quotas for Third corps area have already closed for cavalry and practically so for signal corps camps.

Our corps area camps will undoubtedly be oversubscribed soon after May 15. Those who are prospective deserters, at some future time, weather spirit should not delay longer, or they will be disappointed, as were over 2,000 young men last year.

Let me clear another point of Mr. Connell's letter: all the camps for this area are held from July 8 to August 6, both dates inclusive.

JOHN SCOTT.

Lieut. Col. Infantry.

Executive Officer.

Washington, May 4.

Retirement Figures.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Please permit me to present a few brief questions regarding the proposed increase of civil service annuities. The chief objection to a reasonable increase of such annuities appears to be based upon a plea for economy and the fear of a possible deficit, at some future time, in the Treasury. My question regarding that alleged fear is, which would be the more favorable to the stability of our Treasury, the retirement of 1,000 civil service employees on an average annuity of \$800 a year from the annuity fund; or to retain the same employees in the service at an average salary of \$1,300 each, directly from the Treasury? If retired, the 1,000 employees would receive \$800,000 a year, and \$4,000,000 in five years; whereas, if retained in the service, the 1,000 would receive \$1,300,000 a year directly from the Treasury, and in five years \$6,500,000. This reckoning shows a depletion of the Treasury, by \$6,500,000. Retirement would be far more economical, as well as a humane method of reducing the clerical force, when necessary.

Many of us would like to know how our annuity fund is invested, and at what rate of interest, and also whether the investment is of such a nature as to make it unavailable for a larger current demand. And, further, is the high death rate of annuitants ever considered? Held in the service to the biblical limit of life, annuitants are not likely to make heavy forays or any financial resources.

JOHN R. WEATHERS.

Washington, May 4.

Cherchez la Femme.

Boston Globe: The report that the King of Roumania wants to become an emperor shows that human ambition must still be taken into account, in spite of Woodrow Wilson's effort to make the world safe for democracy. It is possible that the Queen of Roumania desires to become an empress.

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CAPITAL SOCIETY EVENTS

THE PRESIDENT and Mrs. Coolidge have with them as their guests at the White House Mr. and Mrs. William T. Dewart, of New York, who arrived Monday evening.

Mrs. Henry C. Wallace and Miss Ruth Wallace, who are also guests at the White House, will remain there until Friday, when they will depart for their home in Iowa.

The Vice President and Mrs. Dawes entertained at dinner last evening in the large ballroom of the Willard, when there were 100 guests. Among the out-of-town guests were the former's brother, Mr. Beaman G. Dawes, and Mrs. Dawes, Mrs. Henry Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robinson, Mr. William Mills and Sir Josiah and Lady Stamp.

The Ambassador of Spain and Mrs. Riano were the guests in whose honor Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Amory Houghton entertained at dinner last evening at their home. The other guests were the Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Peter, Representative and Mrs. Louis A. Frothingham, Mr. and Mrs. Breckinridge Long, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Brooke and Mr. and Mrs. A. Garrison McClintock.

The German Ambassador and Baroness Maltzan will be the guests in whose honor Mr. and Mrs. Houghton will entertain Wednesday evening, and they will be hosts at dinner in compliment to the Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Isabella Howard Saturday evening.

Berengers Give Dinner.

The French Ambassador and Mme. Berenger entertained at dinner last evening at the embassy. Their guests were the Italian Ambassador, Nobile Giacomo de Martino; the German Ambassador and Baroness Maltzan, Senator and Mrs. James Couzens, Senator and Mrs. Jesse H. Metcalf, the Minister of Greece and Mme. Simopoulos, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Noyes, John B. Henderson, Mrs. Henry C. Corbin, the secretary of the Italian embassy, Signor Leonardo Vitelli; the Naval Attaché of the French Embassy and Mme. Willm, Miss Edith Hoyt, Miss Beatrice Henderson, the financial attaché of the French embassy, Mr. Robert Lacour-Gayet; the French Inspector of Finance, Mr. Erik Haguenin; assistant military attaché of the embassy, Maj. Georges Thenault, and the third secretary, Mr. Armand du Chayla.

The Ambassador of Mexico and Mme. Tellez will entertain at a large reception Monday evening, May 31, at the embassy in honor of the second Pan-American congress of the Red Cross society.

The Ambassador and Mme. Tellez will entertain at dinner Wednesday, May 26, at the embassy when the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Matsudaira will be the ranking guests.

The Ambassador of Great Britain, Sir Esme Howard, will return to

Washington today from Ottawa, Toronto and Montreal, Canada. Lady Isabella Howard, who was in New York during the Ambassador's absence in Canada, returned to the embassy last evening.

The Minister of Greece and Mme. Simopoulos will entertain at dinner this evening and again Friday evening.

Hosts at Dinner.

Senator and Mrs. Guy Despard Goff, of West Virginia, who entertained a company of 85 at dinner last evening in the Chinese room of the Mayflower, had among their guests Mr. Justice and Mrs. Harlan Fiske Stone, the Brazilian Ambassador, Mr. Amaral; the Minister of Uruguay and Mme. Varela, the Minister of Sweden and Mme. Bostrom, the Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Hanford MacNider, Gov. Farrington of Hawaii, and others from the judicial, diplomatic, senatorial, military and social circles of Washington.

The Minister of Latvia and Mme. Soyza entertained at dinner last evening at the legation in honor of the United States Minister to Latvia, Mr. S. W. B. Coleman. There were 24 guests.

Mme. Samy Pasha, wife of the Minister of Egypt, was the ranking guest at luncheon yesterday of Mrs. Douglas B. Thompson, who entertained at luncheon for her daughter, Miss Lillian Thompson, in compliment to Mrs. Wells Blodgett Priest. Among the guests were Mrs. Stuart Brown, Mrs. Fenton Bradford, Mrs. Floyd Waggaman and Mme. Entozam.

Mrs. Priest expects to depart the beginning of the week to pass a week in New York at the Hotel Plaza, after which she will return to Washington.

The Minister of Nicaragua, Senor Dr. Don Salvador Castillio, will entertain at dinner tomorrow evening at the Wardman Park hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick I. Cox have issued invitations for a dinner Thursday evening, May 13, at the Congressional Country club.

Returns From Florida.

Mrs. McEwen Johnston has returned to Washington from Miami, Fla., where she passed the winter and will be at the Hotel Lafayette for a month.

Representative Lloyd Thurston, of Iowa, has issued cards for a dinner which he will give in the presidential suite of the Willard Friday night. He will have fifteen guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dodd will be at home Sunday afternoon in honor of the officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States and their wives.

Commander Silvio Scaroni, air attaché of the Italian embassy, entertained a party of nine at luncheon Monday night in the presidential dining room of the Mayflower. Among his guests were the Air Attaché of the British Embassy and Mrs. T. G. Hetherington and Maj. Georges Thenault, assistant military attaché for aeronautics at the French embassy.

Miss Phoebe W. Fuller has returned to her home in Ashmead place after a visit to Newport News and Norfolk, Va.

Mrs. E. M. Ammons, the widow of former Gov. Ammons, of Colorado, is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Henry L. Larsen, at Quantico, Va.

The Washington branch of the English-Speaking Union will hold their monthly tea at the clubrooms, 1107 Sixteenth street, this afternoon from 4:30 to 6 o'clock. The hostess will be Mrs. Wallace Ness.

Mrs. Thomas S. Borden has returned from a month's visit to her son in Florida and rejoined her mother, Mrs. S. E. Wheatley, at

their apartment, the Toronto. They will open their country home—Moreland—at Bethesda, Md., the first of the month.

Visiting in Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Giacchetti and daughter, Miss Ernestine Giacchetti, of Wyoming avenue, are passing a few weeks at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vought, of Cove Neck, L. I., entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Willard, where they are passing the week. They had twelve guests.

The annual meeting of the Washington Junior league will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. John Hays Hammond. The reports of the chairmen of the working committees will be read and officers for the year will be elected.

The House of Mercy garden party will be held Tuesday, May 18, from 4 until 7 o'clock in the Cathedral Close. Mrs. Sem Lee, assisted by Mrs. E. A. Harriman, Mrs. Charles S. Mathews, Mrs. Thomas H. C. Reed and Mrs. Medore Crawford, will have an old English book shop.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward T. Devine, of New York, have been week-end guests of the Chancellor and Mrs. Lucius C. Clark. The Chancellor and Mrs. Clark entertained at dinner Monday night in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Devine. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Woolever, Dr. and Mrs. Clarence True Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. George B. Woods, Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Swartz, Dr. and Mrs. Haggerty, Mrs. W. F. McDowell and Miss Mary Louise Brown.

There will be a card party given by the Chi Sigma sorority at 3012 Dumbarton avenue northwest at 8 o'clock this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Francis Zumburn entertained Sunday night with a buffet supper in compliment to their guest, Miss Lillian Ingram, of Lexington, Ky. Among

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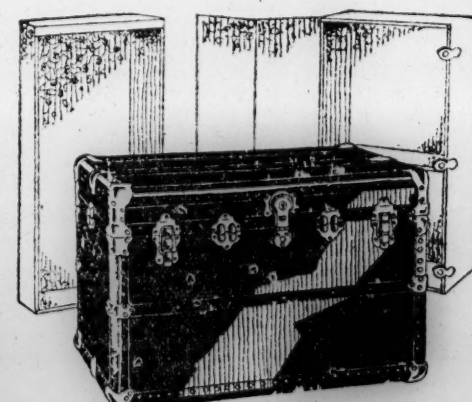
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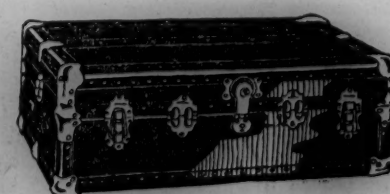
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3 MAYORS DEFEATED IN MARYLAND TOWN ELECTION CONTESTS

Gaithersburg, Garrett Park
and Glen Echo to Have
New Heads.

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Councils and Commissioners
Are Chosen; Spirited
Polling Reported.

Results of town elections in Montgomery and Prince Georges counties of Maryland, announced yesterday, showed that mayors of three of the five towns were defeated.

In Gaithersburg, Montgomery county, William McBain defeated Walter M. Magruder, incumbent, by a vote of 264 to 199 in one of the most spirited contests in recent years.

Henry T. McCuen defeated Mayor Joseph J. Decker for the new term as mayor of Glen Echo, winning by a vote of 44 to 40 votes, while at Garrett Park Maj. Lewis W. Call was elected mayor over Alton Wells by a vote of 36 to 10.

Otto Trundle and Ira Darby were elected to the Gaithersburg town council, defeating A. F. Neem and Dr. William D. Barnett.

Councilmen Elected.
Clyde D. McDaniel and Henry M. Bogue, were elected to the Glen Echo council, defeating the other candidate, Henry C. Arnold.

J. W. Cleveland and Guy H. Oyster were elected to the Garrett Park town council over Colon Tenney and Charles A. Edwards.

With a fight over the question of holding prize fights in the neighborhood one of the features of the contest, Berwyn Heights, Prince Georges county, Md., in its biennial elections voted against supporters of the sport.

Two town commissioners, Charles

H. Stein, with 59 votes, and Fred C. Pros, with 55 votes, were re-elected, and two others, Edward Donaldson and Ernest C. Corkhill, polling 41 and 36 votes, respectively, were defeated for reelection.

Three New Commissioners.

Three new commissioners were elected as follows: Samuel H. Moyer, 54 votes; Elwood J. Taylor, 52 votes, and Jean R. Brelsford, 50 votes. Charles Anderson, commissioner, was not a candidate for reelection, and John O. Waters, who sought election, was defeated, getting 27 votes. The new board of commissioners will meet to organize on May 18.

At the biennial town election at Poolesville, Montgomery county, Monday, Luther Cubitt, Dr. Byron W. Walling, Vernon A. Hempstone and Harry Kohlhoos were elected members of the town council. Messrs. Hempstone and Kohlhoos succeeded themselves, and Messrs. Cubitt and Walling, taking the places of Miss Ruth Beall and Jacob Fisher, who were not candidates for reelection.

The president of the board, who will be chosen at the first meeting, will, by virtue of the office, be mayor of the town.

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North Carolinian Going to
Long-Lost Boy's Home
On Friday.

Charlotte, N. C., May 4 (By A. P.).—Julius Coleman Dellinger, of Denver, N. C., told the Associated Press here today that he expected to leave his home Friday for Philadelphia to meet with relatives of Charlie Ross.

Dellinger said that Mrs. P. C. Starr, second cousin of Ross, had advised him that she would call in an automobile on that day to start East with him in an effort to prove that he is the long lost Charlie Ross, who disappeared 50 years ago.

"I am now just sitting quiet—the world will know soon how well founded is my belief to being Ross," Dellinger said.

"I expect to establish my claim and then retire peacefully for the remainder of my life."

Dellinger added that Mr. Starr would join the party at Greensboro, N. C., and travel to Philadelphia with them.

NAVY DOCTOR, AT SEA, ACCUSED IN "DRY" CASE

Jury at Norfolk Indicts R. H.
Chilton; Warrant Sent
to Washington.

MORE INVOLVED, IT IS SAID

Norfolk, Va., May 4 (By A. P.).—Dr. Robert H. Chilton, declared to be the navy physician sought by Federal authorities in connection with an alleged conspiracy to violate the prohibition law by means of illegal liquor prescriptions, was indicted by a Federal grand jury here today. Available navy records do not show that name but the man sought now is said to be serving on a warship. While the local authorities did not know his whereabouts they understood he was in Far Eastern waters. A warrant for his arrest has been placed in the hands of the Navy Department at Washington, it was said.

F. D. Hutchins, a Norfolk man, who was arrested here last week in connection with the case, was indicted jointly with Dr. Chilton. The indictment alleges that last April Chilton conspired with Hutchins to sell liquor prescriptions and that on January 15 of this year Chilton delivered to Hutchins 100 prescriptions, unlawfully filled out with the names of persons supposed to reside in and about Norfolk.

Several other persons also are said to be involved in the alleged conspiracy.

Girl, 11, Falls Dead
In Gymnasium Class

Special to The Washington Post.

Bristol, Tenn., May 4.—Helen Crosswhite, 11 years old, daughter of former Chief of Police and Mrs. W. T. Crosswhite, fell dead in a school gymnasium class here today. Physicians said death was due to a weak heart. It was at first thought she had only fainted.

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Crosswhite fell dead while playing several years ago.

Woman Slain in Clash Over Profits of Still

Wheeling, W. Va., May 4 (By A. P.).—A dispute over the profits of a still was said by authorities to have resulted in the slaying yesterday of Mrs. Tillie Gisualdo, wife of a millworker, by Angelo Colicci, 17, who made his home with the family.

Arrested after the woman was fatally shot, the youth admitted killing her. Prosecuting Attorney A. C. Shiffer said, giving as the reason her refusal to give him half of the profits of a still he operated for her.

Capt. Foley Will Retire.

Capt. Paul Foley, U. S. N., director of the naval research laboratory, Bellevue, D. C., will retire at his own request July 1, after 30 years service. Capt. Foley is also technical aid to Secretary of the Navy Wilbur.

Young Is Convicted In \$1,200 Fraud Case

Special to The Washington Post.

Cumberland, Md., May 4.—Sylvester L. V. Young, 55 years old, former real estate and insurance agent, was found guilty of embezzlement by a jury here today. He was accused of appropriating to his own use \$1,200 given him by Mrs. L. Caton Carter, of Hagerstown, to apply on a mortgage.

Mrs. Carter purchased the property through Young.

The defense was that there was no fraudulent intent, but that Young met with reverses through bad investments. He has been prominent in the Socialist party of the State.

Hamburg Welcomes Hindenburg.

Hamburg, Germany, May 4 (By A. P.).—President von Hindenburg visited Hamburg today and was given an enthusiastic welcome. The city was gallantly decorated in his honor.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN NAME MRS. MENEFEE

Elect Her Maryland Club
President; Gov. Ritchie
and Mother Hosts.

Special to The Washington Post.

Annapolis, Md., May 4.—Mrs. Elizabeth A. Menefee, of Cumberland, was elected president, and other officers were chosen by the United Democratic Women's clubs of Maryland at the semiannual meeting here today. Addresses by Democratic party leaders urging the reelection of Gov. Ritchie for a third term, were loudly acclaimed by the women.

Other officers elected were: Recording secretary, Mrs. Ernest Offutt, Rockville; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. J. Pritchard, Cumberland; Western Maryland chairman, Miss Ruth Shoemaker, Bethesda; central chairman, Miss Mary E. Wislaw, Harford

county; Eastern Shore, Mrs. Jennie Whalen, Chestertown; Baltimore city, Mrs. Mary H. Duval; treasurer, Mrs. Cruthers Pacy, Baltimore; parliamentarian, Mrs. Charles E. Roach, Montgomery county; legislative chairman, Mrs. Patrick O'Rourke, Hagerstown. Gov. Ritchie was the principal speaker. Others were Representatives J. Charles Linthicum and Millard E. Tydings.

Gov. Ritchie and his mother, Mrs. Albert Ritchie, entertained the delegates at tea in the State house this afternoon.

Teamsters Injured.

Shedrick Harper, colored, 58 years old, 50 H street northeast, and Charles Ubank, also colored, 47 years old, 220 R street northwest, were injured yesterday when a W. R. & E. Co. street car collided with a horse-drawn wagon in which they were riding at Georgia avenue and Taylor street northwest. Both men were thrown from the wagon by the force of the impact. They were treated at Freedmen's hospital for cuts and bruises.

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Ar. Ogden	7:55 a. m. 2nd day	6:30 a. m. 3rd day
Ar. San Francisco	2:10 p. m. 3rd day	10:30 a. m. 4th day

Two Trains for Portland, Tacoma, Seattle

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Portland Limited	Continental Limited	
Lv. Chicago (C. & N.W. Station)	10:15 p. m.	10:30 a. m.
Lv. Omaha	11:55 a. m.	12:35 a. m.
Ar. Boise	1:02 a. m. 3rd day	3:19 p. m. 2nd day
Ar. Portland	6:15 p. m. 3rd day	8:30 a. m. 3rd day

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\$98.00 Round Trip from Washington to Rocky Mountain National Park, Beginning June 1		
Colorado Special	Colorado Express	Denver Special
Lv. Chicago (C. & N.W. Station)	10:30 a. m.	11:59 p. m.
Lv. Omaha	12:25 a. m.	8:10 a. m.
Ar. Denver	3:00 p. m.	7:15 a. m.

Five Trains for Ogden and Salt Lake City

\$103.80 Round Trip from Washington, Beginning June 1				
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Lv. Chicago	8:00 p. m.	8:10 p. m.	10:30 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
Lv. Omaha	9:40 a. m.	9:45 a. m.	12:35 a. m.	4:40 p. m.
Ar. Ogden	12:55 p. m. 2nd day	6:30 a. m. 2nd day	6:25 a. m. 2nd day	6:30 a. m. 3rd day
Ar. Salt Lake City	2:05 p. m. 2nd day	3:15 p. m. 2nd day	7:55 a. m. 2nd day	7:55 a. m. 3rd day

Two Trains for Yellowstone National Park

\$103.80 Round Trip from Washington to West Yellowstone, Beginning June 1		
Yellowstone Special	Yellowstone Express	
Lv. Chicago (C. & N.W. Station)	8:00 p. m.	10:30 a. m.
Lv. Omaha	9:40 a. m.	12:35 a. m.
Ar. West Yellowstone	7:30 a. m. 3rd day	3:15 p. m. 3rd day

Three Trains for Zion National Park Country

\$105.90 Round Trip from Washington to Cedar City, Utah, Beginning June 1			
Los Angeles Limited	Continental Limited	Pacific Limited	California Mail
Lv. Chicago (C. & N.W. Station)	8:00 p. m.	10:30 a. m.	11:59 p. m.
Lv. Omaha	9:40 a. m.	12:35 a. m.	4:40 p. m.
Ar. Salt Lake City	2:05 p. m. 2nd day	7:55 a. m. 2nd day	7:55 a. m. 3rd day
Ar. Cedar City, Utah	7:00 a. m. 3rd day	6:00 p. m. 3rd day	6:00 p. m. 3rd day

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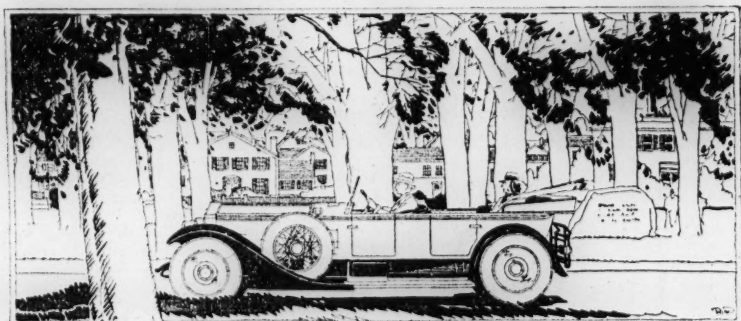
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Kaibab National Forest
North Rim Grand Canyon
Montana—B.
Yellowstone Nat'l Park
Idaho—Boise
Nevada—California
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Persons From States.

APPROVES PENSION
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Council Voices Objection to
Bill Fixing Penalty for Fail-
ure to List Property.

Charges that the District is paying out of its revenues for maintenance of many indigent insane patients in St. Elizabeths hospital, who never were residents of the District, were made in the citizens advisory council last evening by Harry N. Stull, recorder of that body. The council is to ask the subcommittee of the House District committee, investigating Commissioner Fenning, to ascertain how many of these patients could be sent to the several States, or their care otherwise provided for.

"The last appropriation act carried an item of \$1,100,000 for care of indigent insane patients at St. Elizabeths hospital," said Mr. Stull. "Secretary George S. Wilson, of the District Board of Charities, recently testified that there are 2,100 such patients."

"We know that every crank and demented person who comes here to try to see the President is picked up on the streets, haled into court and sent to St. Elizabeths as a charge on the District. It seems to me this is a large amount of money to spend, especially in view of the fact that I am advising you that I consider competent authority, that there is a large number of inmates out there who have never spent more than two or three days in the District."

Resolution Approved.

The council approved the joint resolution to permit the District national guard to occupy part of the pension bureau building and did approved a bill to permit erection of an office building at Fifteenth and G streets northwest to a height of 150 feet, including superstructure, the building restriction there being 110 feet.

George C. Havenner, who was absent from the meeting, sent in a report on a pending bill to penalize persons not scheduling personal property for taxation to the extent of \$500 and sending them to jail not to exceed six months upon failure to pay the penalty. He reported that the legislation was not needed, but was not objectionable. Nearly every member of the council voiced objection to the drastic provisions of the bill, and it was referred back to Mr. Havenner for further consideration.

Farm Relief Debate Is Opened in House

(By the Associated Press.)

After months of committee deliberation four days of debate on farm relief began yesterday in the House under a rule providing for the consideration of three bills reported by the agriculture committee—the Haugen price stabilization measure, the Tamm credit plan and the Curtis-Alexander commodity marketing proposal.

Chairman Haugen, of the agriculture committee, opened the debate with a plea for enactment of his bill, which, he said, would place agriculture on a parity with industry and redeem the pledge of the Republican party to the farmers.

Contending that the Haugen measure would not relieve the agricultural situation and was economically unsound, Mr. Fort objected to the provision of all three bills for selection of Federal farm boards by the farmers.

Playful Bayonet Jab Pierces Heart of Boy

Ogden, Utah, May 4 (By A. P.). William Lloyd Parker, 17, junior in the Ogden High school, and a member of the cadet battalion of the school, is dead with a bayonet wound in the heart.

Parker and Grobert Woods, another junior, yesterday made a number of playful bayonet jabs at each other with their fixed bayonets.

Parker received a wound in the chest. It seemed little more than a scratch, and after being examined by a physician, he was taken home. Several hours later he was found dead in his bed. The bayonet point had pierced his heart.

Train Splits Switch; 3 Killed, 10 Injured

Knoxville, Tenn., May 4 (By A. P.).—Three men were killed and ten injured last night when a freight locomotive split a switch and plowed through a Southern railroad work train on the siding at Philadelphia, Tenn. The dead: Arthur Collins, White Pine, Tenn.; Lon Watkins, Alpha, Tenn.; and Tom Pollard, Talbot, Tenn.

None of the men injured were hurt seriously. The workmen were sleeping in two box cars on the siding when the heavy locomotive crashed into the rear car and literally drove it through the forward car.

Farmer in Airplane Fatally Hurt in Fall

Martinsville, Va., May 4 (By A. P.).—Homer Carter, a farmer, living near Henry Station, near here, died at his home last night from injuries received Sunday, when an airplane in which he was riding with Alonzo Martin, a neighbor, fell from a height of about 200 feet.

Martin, the pilot of the plane, was not injured seriously.

LUCE BLOCKS VOTE ON FORMAL INQUIRY INTO FENNING CHARGES

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE 1.)

the table. It was finally decided that the committee would meet for a brief period in executive session this morning and then go into open session, with Dr. W. A. White, superintendent of St. Elizabeths hospital, again on the stand.

Representative Montgomery (Republican) of Oklahoma, gave notice that after everybody had had a chance to question Dr. White, he planned to press for a close of the hearings in so far as they turn on the local guardianship practice. Under his plan, to which Representative Johnson of South Dakota, subscribes, the hearings would then revert to the nation-wide guardianship situation.

Return of Fenning Sought.

This was the parliamentary status when the committee adjourned yesterday. The Democrats on the committee, however, feel that they have established a case against Mr. Fenning, and they now intend to go after Mr. White.

There still temped among them and in this they have Republican support, to force Commissioner Fenning to come back before the committee. Representative Bulwinkle, of North Carolina, ranking minority member of the committee, introduced a resolution in the House to this end, in accordance with committee instructions Monday.

This resolution goes to the rules committee, the pressure to the committee and its coming out to be determined by future developments.

In the sharp passages at the veterans committee hearing in the afternoon, Representative Montgomery argued that was impracticable to bring Mr. Fenning back. Representative Vincent (Republican), of Michigan, asked sharply: "Why can't we bring him back?"

Recent Exploitation Charge.

Charges by Representative Sweet (Republican), of New York, that the Democrats were "exploiting the veterans for political purposes" brought counter charges from Representatives Bulwinkle and Rankin (Democrats), of Mississippi, with Representative Jeffers, of Alabama, making occasional sorties, that efforts were being made to "smother" the investigation. Representative Milligan, of Missouri, holder of the D. S. C., and Representative Harry T. Norton, of New York, took personal resentment at Mr. Sweet's remarks.

Mrs. Norton said she had been "insulted." Mr. Sweet made no reply. This occurred at the morning session of the afternoon Mr. Sweet interrupted Representative Mont-

gomery to say that he had "told them what he thought of them" at the morning hearing.

Mr. Milligan, leaning across the table, said: "And I want to tell the gentleman that he had better be very careful what he says about me. And I respect old age."

Mr. Montgomery, defending himself, said he realized that his attitude had been "unpopular," but it was his desire to "assume that the evils exist" and enact remedial legislation. He said some members were acting to "get publicity."

Mr. Bulwinkle, who served in the world war, said it was his purpose to do everything within his power in the interest of the veterans. He charged Mr. Montgomery with not attending the committee meetings.

Mr. Bulwinkle was applauded by several women in the committee and they showered congratulations on him at the close of the meeting.

Mr. Rankin gave it as his undisputed intention "to make it impossible for these men who have exploited these veterans to continue in office." Mr. Milligan asked Mr. Montgomery that inasmuch as he was concerned only in remedial legislation what plan he had to offer dealing with the local situation.

"I want to say frankly, and I do not believe that the chair doubts my sincerity," said Mr. Milligan, "that I do not know definitely how to go about this matter and I want to question Dr. White fully as well as numerous other witnesses."

In the course of the discussion Mr. Johnson reiterated his position as that of letting the judiciary committee do the investigating and his committee devote its sole attention to legislation.

Dr. White was questioned at length by Mr. Luce before the fire-up developed. The hospital superintendent went over ground mostly covered heretofore by the House District subcommittee. A new phase touched on autopsies. Dr. White said that autopsies were never performed except with the permission of parents or guardians if the parents are not available.

Mr. Sweet asked Mr. Milligan if he objected to autopsies "in the interest of science."

"I most certainly object to autopsies unless the consent of the relatives with full knowledge of what an autopsy means, is given," said Mr. Milligan. "I want to find out something about it. I am not in favor of the use of the bodies of veterans to train young doctors as the young officers were trained during the war. I have seen autopsies performed and I know what is done."

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Copies of a resolution adopted by the McGroarty-O'Connell post, American Legion, "deploring" the action of "a representative from Massachusetts" in trying to prevent an investigation of the Fenning case, were sent to members of the House veterans committee yesterday by Raymond I. Burke, commander of the post. The resolution was directed against Representative Luce.

Legion Post Criticizes Stand Taken by Luce

Members of the post are threatening to communicate with war veterans in Massachusetts unless the representative discontinues his tactics.

"The rights of our unfortunate comrades," said the resolution, "are superior to any political considerations by partisan politicians. The conduct of any guardian who charges 10 per cent as a fee or who reaps a double reward out of the funds and property of a demented veteran is enough to justify the contempt and detestation of all who have the rights of service men uppermost in their hearts."

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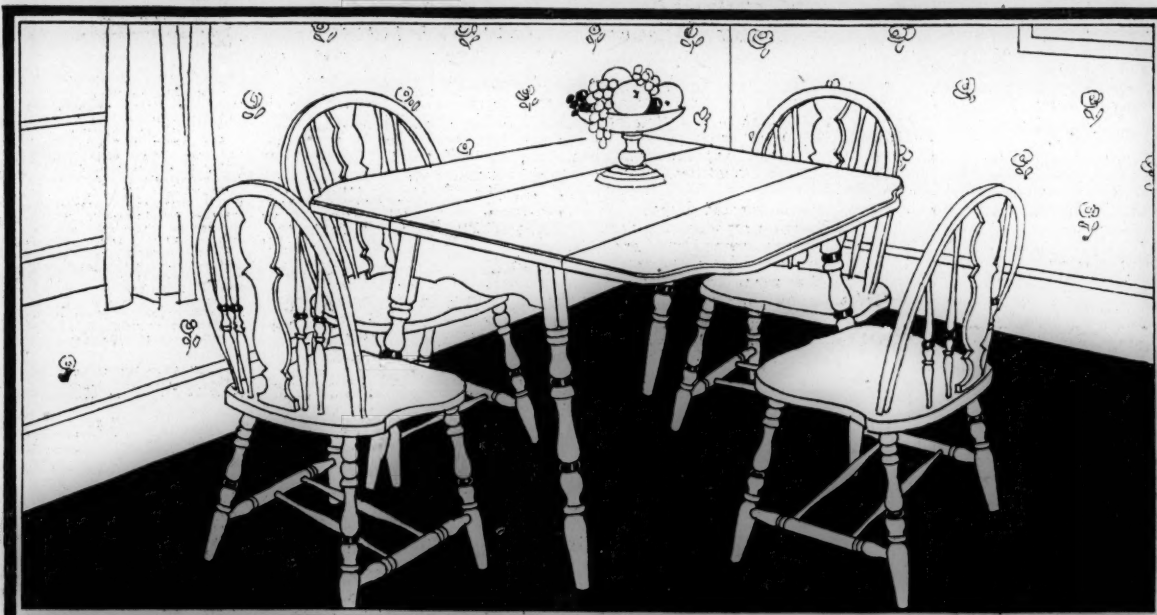
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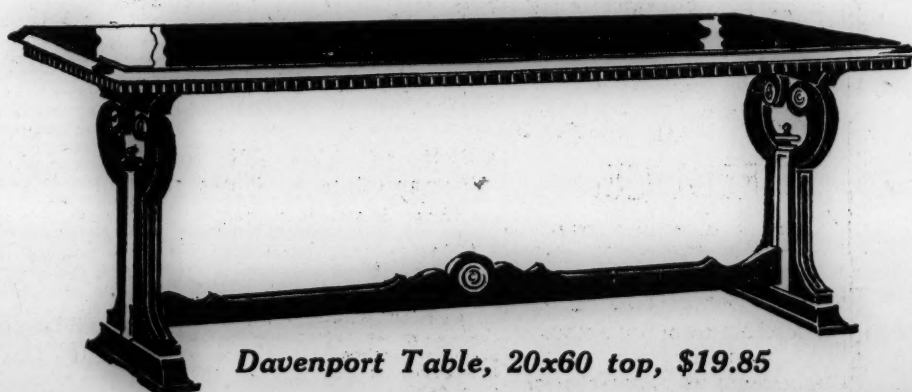
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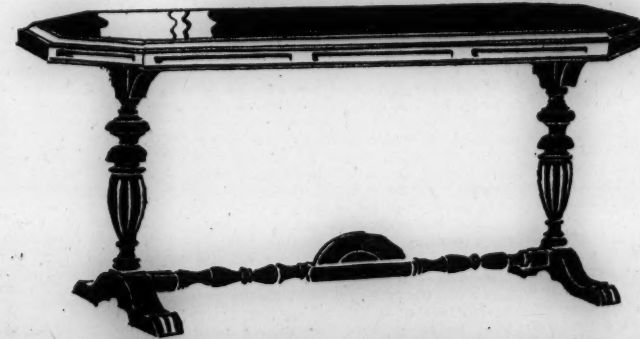
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THE HECHT CO. Washington Auditorium Sale

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A MODERN MARRIAGE

An Absorbing Novel
By IDAH MCGLONE GIBSON

SYNOPSIS

Kathlyn Leonard opens her door on a stormy night to find standing there Elton Foss. An altercation follows. She demands that he leave. He attempts to force an entrance. A revolver cracks, he falls dead. Kathlyn, horrified, closes the door. Then a man slips from the shadow. It is Rodney Evans. An officer finds him beside the body. He calls the police station. Rodney leaves after reassuring Kathlyn and goes straight to his attorney, Dick Starmount. He tells his lawyer the story of Elton Foss' death and that he had killed Foss.

CHAPTER VII

Kathlyn Is Ill.

AS Richard Starmount and Rodney Evans left the dining room, a reporter stepped up to Rodney.

"Good morning, Mr. Evans. I'm from The Blade. Have you anything to say on the Foss murder? We know that you and Miss Kathlyn Leonard found the body. The police seem to be up to a stump."

"Sorry. I have nothing to say now. I am on my way to the inquest. You probably saw the police blotter. There is nothing to add to what I said to them last night. I found the body in front of the home where I was calling in Greenwich Village. I had just rung the bell. As the door opened and the light shone on the sidewalk I saw the man, who I first thought was drunk, was dead, and that it was Elton Foss."

"The police soon appeared and took the body to the morgue. I told them all I knew about the matter."

Evans was edging away all the time, but the reporter followed him. "You were calling on Miss Leonard, were you not?" he asked.

"Yes, I had been at the theater where my new play is showing. Miss Leonard, whom I had invited to go with me, but who was unable to go, had made me promise that I would drop in for a bit of supper after the show."

"Rod," Dick Starmount broke in, "we must go. We'll be late. We must get Kathlyn. The inquest is at 10 o'clock."

"You knew Mr. Foss?" persisted the reporter.

"Of course I knew him. Every man connected with the theater of New York knew Elton Foss—but you really must excuse me now."

The two men finally managed to get rid of the reporter and drove down to Kathlyn's house. Arriving there, Rodney gave the bell three short rings as though to announce himself, and then with a glance about, as though to make sure that no one was watching, he produced a latch key and opened the door.

"So mighty glad you've come, Mr. Evans," the negro maid said.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

By DR. W. A. EVANS

Questions pertinent to hygiene, sanitation, and prevention of disease, if matters of general interest, will be answered in this column. Where space will not permit or the subject is not suitable, letters will be personally answered, subject to proper limitations and where a stamped, addressed envelope is inclosed. Dr. Evans will not make diagnosis or prescribe for individual disease. Requests for such service cannot be answered.

UNDERNOURISHED CHILDREN.

NUTRITION classes in schools have been in rather doubtful waters for several years. One reason for this is the reaction against the enthusiasm under which they were started. They looked so good that everybody hoped to it. Naturally, something of a Katsenjammer. Unfortunately, nobody started early in the game to carefully weigh the evidence and thereby keep the ship on its keel. Doing just that thing has been the task which Kaiser, Norton and Walker assumed at Rochester. They have been working on the problem for about four years. The questions for which they sought answers were:

Is malnutrition of school children of considerable importance? If so, what is the best method of getting and holding results?

Some of the conclusions at which they arrived are:

A large proportion of the school children are undernourished. Remedial physical defects are responsible for about one-half of the undernourishment.

In bringing undernourished children up to weight the best result follows curtailing their activities and seeing that they get more sleep.

In overcoming malnutrition the immediate effects of a course of instruction in nutrition class are most encouraging; the ultimate results are not so encouraging.

Attendance on a nutrition class

helps about four-fifths of the children who attend.

The children in similar conditions who do not attend do not fare so well. Only about one-third are greatly improved by what is done for them. From this standpoint the nutrition class makes good. But not all the gains made are held.

The best results in a nutrition class come to the badly undernourished children—those more than 10 per cent underweight. Physical defects do not necessarily cause underweight.

The best results of the nutrition is in securing cooperation between the parents, the pupils, and the teachers. A nutrition class in a school is of service in interesting the entire school body in nutrition. Nutrition classes alone will not solve the undernourishment problem of a school.

Of the gains made by the pupils in the nutrition classes about 46 per cent are eventually lost; but the 56 per cent gain which remains after subtracting the losses is a record of improvement which is better than that shown by any other method.

RUNNING UPSTAIRS.

T. H. writes: Is walking or running up ten flights of stairs once or twice daily a dangerous form of exercise from the standpoint of overtaxing of one's heart?

I am about ten pounds overweight, and it is my thought that this would be a suitable means of

assisting in getting in condition, but have been told that such exercise often proves too strenuous.

FASHION HINT



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SMOCK No. 2576.

The smock is suitable for many occasions—of linen for every day, of crepe de chine for formal occasions that aren't quite dressed up. This model has epaulet shoulders and chic handsmocking. Bloomers are included in the design which is for sizes 8, 8, 10 and 12 years.

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Conduct and Common Sense

STILL MORE ABOUT TACT.

IN a world where the old attributes of aristocracy are being more and more submerged, it really is well to hold up a drowning hand in favor of more and better manners. And tact is only another name for common sense. It must be dictated by wisdom, and it should have kindness and tolerance back of it. Where would be the occasions for most wars if nations were tactful and tolerant with each other? Certainly there'd be fewer. Being no pacifist, one does not incline to sit down under insult or see wrong done to the weak without interference, but one does believe that civil understanding of alien feelings is the first step in diplomacy. (Mr. Walter Page must often have felt this while struggling with our constant crusty misapprehensions of England before we finally came to consider the war our war.) Tact in diplomacy need not try to hide what can't be hidden, but it can avoid giving undue offense.

Whether between nations or between individuals, the other fellow must always be given a show. You should try to understand his argument before you try to knock him down with yours. You should avoid hurting his feelings if possible, and you must not let your own be too tender. Nothing is more ill bred than undisciplined irritation. Angry you may be with excellent reason, but not outwardly irritated. To have the perfect tact that leaves you in control of a situation, you must first be in perfect control of your temper, then of your manners, and last but not least, of your sense of humor—if you have one.

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It is unless you train for it. Begin with one right say twice a week. Begin by climbing slowly. After you have attained distance speed up, slowly.

In about six months, or maybe ten, you should be able to run up ten flights with safety and advantage.

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Beauty and You

What to Do for Spring Fever.

THAT common but indefinite term, spring fever, is made to answer for a good deal about this time of the year. If we are restless, or lazy, if we sleep too little or too much, we say, "It's spring fever."

Some of us think that we need a tonic, but it is not necessarily medicine. We need more fresh air, more exercise, and a lighter diet. During the winter, people get into the habit of staying inside their steam-heated houses and eating too much heavy, rich food. And so they overload their systems with a lot of waste matter, until it is no wonder that they feel heavy and drowsy and listless.

Let us start right now to burn up some of that waste matter with plenty of exercise. Riding, golf and tennis are splendid, but if they are not convenient, brisk walks will answer the purpose perfectly well. Do some deep breathing and a few setting-up exercises near an open window or arisling. Make it a rule to walk rather than ride the short distance that you cover during the day. Get a little fresh air before turning in at night.

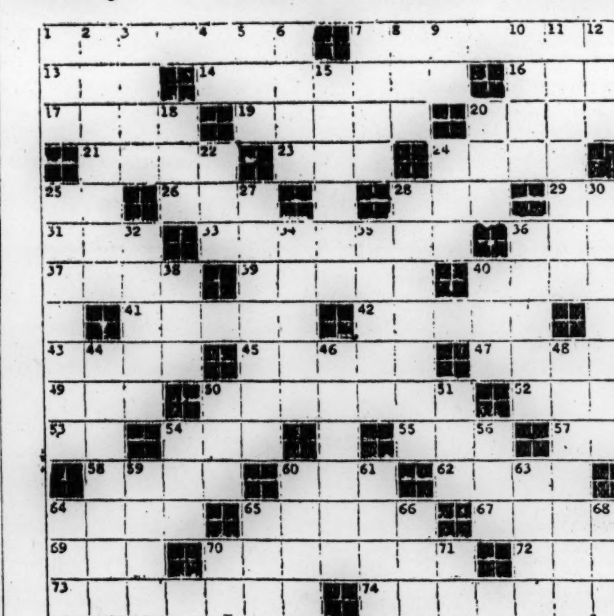
At meals, take advantage of the fresh, green things that the market affords—vegetables that grow above ground, and succulent fruits. Your palate will be appreciative and will usually be more satisfied by a crisp salad with the tang of lemon juice than by unseasonable pastry and puddings.

Tomorrow the Beauty Editor will prescribe an excellent exercise for women.

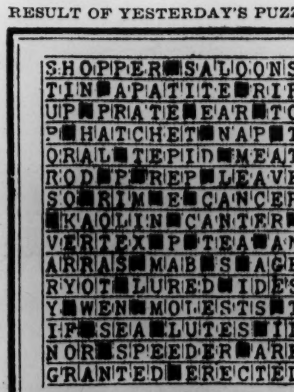
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Meaning Food?
"Could I see Gen. Blank?"
"I'm sorry, but Gen. Blank is ill today."
"What made him ill?"
"Oh, things in general."—The Progressive Grocer.

Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



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| HORIZONTAL. | VERTICAL. |
| 1 Eating and dancing place | 1 Cry of dove |
| 2 To tilt to one side | 2 Rural district of Greece |
| 3 House for bees | 3 An animal |
| 4 A stream rivulet | 4 Concerning |
| 5 Native metal | 5 Large deer |
| 6 To raise | 6 Sorrow |
| 7 To raise | 7 Narrow band of linen |
| 8 S. Am. plant (pl.) | 8 Poss. pronoun |
| 9 Guards | |
| 10 Small horse | |
| 11 Air (music) | |
| 12 Point of compass (ab.) | |
| 13 Warlike | |
| 14 Anno Domini (ab.) | |
| 15 Twitching | |
| 16 To fasten | |
| 17 Printer's measure | |
| 18 Pinch | |
| 19 Bull fighter | |
| 20 Period of time | |
| 21 Scottish Highlander | |
| 22 To go by | |
| 23 Closed automobile | |
| 24 Absolute | |
| 25 Goal, aim | |
| 26 Against | |
| 27 To beleague | |
| 28 To sue | |
| 29 Sun god | |
| 30 Military title | |
| 31 A tree | |
| 32 York (ab.) | |
| 33 A part of speech | |
| 34 Unit of energy | |



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WIVES OF TOMORROW

By FRANCES McDONALD

Psychopathic Sulk.

JUST where does mere "grouchiness" end—and mental derangement begin? Since the discussion of grouchiness began in this column, many women have written letters describing conditions that plainly are more than mere "grouchiness." The man who refuses for months to speak to those around him is not a grouch but a fit subject for mental observation. And if more wives realized this fact and made known their attitude on the subject a few more psychopathic grouchies would learn to control their impulses at home as cleverly as they do in the presence of their employers. Any inclination can develop into habit. The abnormal inclination to sulk quickly grows until it becomes a habitual characteristic. And a sure cure would be the attitude on the part of others to regard sulking spells as evidence of mental disorder. Under the circumstances described in the letter printed today, the wife should inform her husband that she felt it only right to explain to the children that their father's spells were the result of mental infirmity—rather than evil disposition. I imagine the improvement in the dear father's condition would be marked. Certainly if he is not forced to a better attitude his children as soon they are old enough will seek more congenial surroundings than such as home offers. The man can control these states since he does control them outside his home. He knows that strangers would quickly pronounce him unbalanced and refuse to work with him if he did not control them. Why then should his wife and family be martyrs? Read this letter. Is there any excuse for such a man?

Dear Miss McDonald: Tears often come into my eyes as I read some of the heart-rendering letters written to you and your letters of sympathy and help in reply. Your work is, indeed, a serious one, and you being a wise and noble

woman realize that no one is infallible and thus can take criticism in the sincere and helpful spirit it is intended.

Therefore, I feel that in making the following criticism you will take it as a sincere effort on my part to help the good cause. I refer to the various articles regarding the man with a chronic grouch. I feel you have not fully realized just what a woman suffers at the hands of such a man. Truly her life is one long succession of shame and heartaches.

Any one who has lived in an atmosphere of gloom for weeks and sometimes months, caused by a man on one of his periodic grouchies, knows what I mean when I say it is not only depressing and maddening but demoralizing to all concerned.

I have studied this problem from every angle, tried various tests and can find no real cure for it. Neither pleadings nor threats, appeals or indifference, ridicule or anger seem to make any lasting impression. They have even an absence of several weeks did not bring about a cure. I have tried rising above it, keeping cheerful and self-poised, but it matters not, excepting that it possibly helps to keep me more balanced and sane and from aging prematurely.

Self-poise is all very well in words and deeds, but, dear Miss McDonald, have you ever experienced trying to keep sane and self-poised in an atmosphere as black as ink with nothing but gloom grunts and nasty looks for weeks, yes, sometimes months, with only the bare necessity of words causing a monosyllabic or two to escape. Then, on occasions, a terrible flare of temper and unjust words.

How about the little children who have to live in this unnatural and demoralizing atmosphere? They have to come in contact with it some part of the day and as often the displeasure and injustice falls on them as on the mother. It blights their lives and I have seen them cringe in fear or stand in astonishment at some unexpected act or word from their father. A father's good influence is withheld, his companionship and comradeship is lost and, oh—the memories they have to carry of those gloomy weeks with its many injustices!

My dreams of a happy, helpful home for my three children is shattered. Fine children with life and its possibilities before them and a great comfort to me. I do all I can to make up to them the loss of companionship and cheer, but I can not erase the example that is there.

Will my children have a similar disposition when adults even though I do everything I can now to offset the bad effects of all this unnatural atmosphere?

How can any man be so kind and loving for a time and then be so terribly unjust and mean for a spell? It is impossible to make plans for entertainment or little home joys. Too often have I had to entertain friends with a grouch hanging over the dinner or party. Too often have I been humiliated when friends have visited me. Too often have I had to give up an outing, and too often have holidays and birthdays been ruined. It takes all the heart and courage out of one to have these simple joys trampled on again and again.

Yet, this father and husband dares not show his ill temper and grouch outside his home and is pleasant to those he comes in contact with in a business or social way.

I am thrifty and intelligent, take a real interest in my home, keep myself up to the minute and attractive, and am socially inclined, but I have had to put the soft pedal on my social side and sometimes my sense of humor leaves me.

I am naturally cheerful and full of the joy of life, but I feel as though I was being suffocated during these grouch spells. Always the thought of the welfare of my children is present, for I can already see the effect of this atmosphere in them. They do not respect their father as they once did and at times I can see a trace of the same disposition in one of my boys.

I have chatted and laughed with them through scores of meals when my heart was torn with grief. Yes, to keep placid is all very well if one can endure, but nerves break under constant strain and not every one has the disposition to be quiet and self-poised and even the most placid can not endure forever.

A competent doctor has said that my husband was physically sound and had a proper diet and good habits. He works hard to be sure, but so do I and I also have been through severe nervous strain and one terrible, long illness, yet a

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grouch disposition is a mystery to me for it is such a dead loss to every one it is concerned.

What is the explanation? There must be some reason for it and perhaps some solution. Does any one know?

How can a highly educated man allow himself to get into such a state and why has it lasted so many years? Fifteen years that I know of and as I look back beyond that

time before our marriage, I can now see and understand that he was inclined that way then, although at that time I did not understand it and explained it to myself as from some other cause.

Dear girls—Beware of the moody, self-centered man. Out of many proposals of marriage, this is the man I thought I loved above all.

ONE WHO ENDURES.

Follow Nature's Rule

If gaining natural skin beauty is your aim

By NORMA TALMADGE

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Mitzi Is Engaged in Good Works!



This silk cape coat she had to keep, besides it is new and she likes it very much. All her other clothes were given to the Cause. They are gone, even her evening gowns. What if her generous impulses did get the better of her? The fact remains that she has nothing to wear. For once, she has a real reason for buying more clothes.

Mitzi Is Engaged in Good Works!



It's quite clear that she will have to have another wrap to wear on the street and it had better be a silk faille with cape edged with summer fur. The cape is very full, set on a yoke. It takes a good deal of shopping to reconstruct her wardrobe. On one's feet all day long, too! But Mitzi will gladly sacrifice herself for charity's sake.

By Jay V. Jay



"Oh, and you must send all your clothes to this address," says Mitzi to the Gofer. "I'm collecting clothes for the poor and needy." The Gofer can not help but notice that Mitzi has collected for herself a long, handsome silk cape. "But," remonstrates the Gofer, "what'll I do without them?" "Buy more," says Mitzi. "You can, you know. I did."

Oil Men Look Bullishly Upon British Labor Crisis

By S. S. FONTAINE.

New York, May 4.—Wall street is beginning to develop its secondary reaction to the British industrial upheaval. It is looking for bullish elements therein as far as oil industries are concerned. On Monday afternoon it was discovered that there was a possibility that if the strike continued for any length of time, the copper market would be stimulated. At least, it was pointed out that British manufacturers had been buyers on that day of a substantial amount of copper, and today the oil men were predicting that a protracted tie-up of transportation facilities would greatly increase exports of American petroleum and its byproducts.

"Wall street will awaken to the fact by tomorrow that the great labor struggle in Great Britain will surely be a wind that blows the petroleum industry good luck," said a leading oil man today.

It is quite likely that the strike will favorably affect still other American industries, but it is reasoned out by some of the clearest minds in the petroleum world that this great war between the British government and the millions of union workers necessarily means consumption of gasoline and lubricants in far greater degree than the British interests can supply.

"It is clear that the entire United Kingdom had suddenly passed from regular railroad trains to the use of the airplane and the motor transport. The great war stretched the ability of the American petroleum refiners to supply all the gasoline needed and a famous British statesman said:

"Britain floated to victory on a wave of oil."

"On a smaller scale war is now on. The railway unions locked up the railroad stations early yesterday morning and posted notices:

"Stand together all."

"The airplanes are gathering the mails from the remote places and bringing them to London. Americans who felt nervous regarding the show staged for them were so inclined to get away to Paris that never has transportation by airplane been so great across the channel as during the last few days. The British government has organized a vast machine to feed the people of the large cities. The minute the government permits the public to be starved out, that minute the winning by the government is in danger."

"So Hyde park and other large centers in the English cities are the bases from which the food will be distributed to the public. But before it has been distributed it must first be assembled day after day in these centers of population, such as London, Manchester, Leeds, Liverpool, Edinburgh, Glasgow and even as far north as Aberdeen. This is being done by the greatest fleet

of motor cars and trucks that has operated under a single direction since the great war. The supply of milk has to be brought to every large place by motor trucks. The London radius for the operation of the milk service includes everything within 100 miles of London. This is only half the story. Meat, vegetables, groceries—in fact, the food of the Britishers—must be brought regularly. This motor service must not be permitted to break down, and above everything else, it is important that there should be on hand wherever needed gasoline, and more gasoline, and then more gasoline. It is said by oil men that it is easily conceivable that the demand for gasoline within the United Kingdom has increased in a fabulous way.

"Already steps are probably being taken by the British government to supplement the supply from the United States. The problem is not so much to unload the tankships that take the gasoline to English shores as to get it there with regularity and expedition. Therefore, the feeling among well-posted oil men is that the strike, so far as the petroleum industry is concerned, is a bull card. If the British government is to beat the general strike, it must once more float to victory on a wave of oil."

The following bulletins were sent out today by a leading international cotton house:

"Of twelve cotton house opinions six are bullish, two bearish and four noncommittal."

"London cable reports stock market here disorganized, but not demoralized by strike situation. Until crisis passes business expected to be restricted and transactions in small lots. The exchange will not be closed unless requested to do so by the government."

"Liverpool cables—Hedging, local, continental selling. Manchester business almost standstill, consequence general strike."

"According to Liverpool prices at 2:15 we are due to open 3 to 10 down."

"Liverpool cotton interests are reported to have been active buyers in the New York cotton market near the close yesterday, taking May contract in particular."

"Our floor representative reports

market continues to act very steady with a good demand below, but a little more for sale this morning. Liverpool good buyer of May at last night's close and today's opening. Weather too wet in the central belt. Trade has been fair; buyers first few days, especially December. Cloth market quiet and unchanged. Fall River dull.

"Secretary Hall of New York Cotton Exchange has announced that directors of Liverpool Cotton association have decided during the strike the market will open at 11 o'clock, commencing tomorrow. The market will be closed next Saturday."

"In answer to a query as to whether or not English mills are likely to close down as a result of the strike, the following reply was received:

"Will be forced to if it is not settled shortly; situation looks serious."

"Impossible to exaggerate the seriousness or prophesy the duration of the strike."

The production of cigarettes in the first quarter of 1926 showed an output of about 12 per cent above the first quarter of 1925, when the previous high production record was reached. A total of 20,820,393,746 cigarettes were turned out against 18,607,850,462 in the first quarter of 1925, and 16,383,950,653 in 1924. This showing was responsible for the three important cigarette manufacturing companies, R. J. Reynolds, American Tobacco and Liggett and Myers, earnings for the first quarter to exceed those of the like period a year ago. It is expected that all three will enjoy profits during 1926, which will break all previous records.

All through the current year production has shown a gain each successive month. All of them entered 1926 with sufficient working capital to handle the increased business. The inventories of the three companies amounted to about \$239,000,000 against \$224,000,000 at the beginning of the previous year. There

was a decline in cash holdings to slightly above \$45,000,000 against \$52,500,000 in the preceding year, which was due to the action of the R. J. Reynolds Co. in retiring \$20,000,000 preferred issue at 120 toward the close of 1925.

Due to the unsettled condition in Mexico, which caused a falling off in its production, the Mexican Sea-board Petroleum Co. for the year ending with last December, made a poor showing. During these twelve months the combined net income was \$109,601 after interest, depreciation, etc., but before providing for depletion reserves equivalent to 11 cents a share on the outstanding 945,939 shares of no par capital stock. In the previous year the net income after taking care of the above items amounted to \$2,681,142 or \$2.83 a share on the stock. Gross earnings for 1925 declined to \$5,262,549 against \$10,717,493 in the preceding year. The company closed the year with total assets of \$18,755,194, against \$18,326,658 in 1924. Its cash on hand also showed a decrease to \$1,595,257 as compared with \$2,966,281 in the preceding year. The company has extended its operations to Texas and California and in the latter State it holds about 7,000 acres of leases. At the close of 1925 four wells were drilling in separate districts and the management is planning operations in these sections in order to offset the disturbed state of affairs in Mexico. (Copyright, 1926.)

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New York, May 4 (By A. P.).
COPPER—Quiet; electrolytic, spot and futures, 13 1/2.
TIN—Firm; spot and nearby, 62.00; futures, 62.00.
IRON—Steady; prices unchanged.
LEAD—Steady; spot, 7.85.
ZINC—Easy; East St. Louis, spot and futures, 6.70@6.75.
ANTIMONY—Spot, 12.00.
LONDON, May 4 (By A. P.).
COPPER—Standard spot, 156.15; futures, 157.12 1/2; electrolytic, spot, 164.5; futures, 164.15.
TIN—Spot, 1268 7/8; futures, 1264 1/2.
LEAD—Spot, 128; futures, 128 1/2.
ZINC—Spot, 131 1/2; futures, 132 1/2.

NEW YORK GRAIN.

New York, May 4 (By A. P.).
WHEAT—Spot, weak; No. 1 dark Northern spring, c. 1 1/2; New York, all rail, 1.30 1/2; No. 2 hard winter, f. o. b. all rail, 1.16 1/2; No. 2 mixed, durum, do, 1.15 1/2; No. 1 Manitoba, lake and rail, last ten days May, 1.05 1/2 in bond.
CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2 yellow, c. 1 1/2; track New York, all rail, 88 1/2; No. 3 yellow, do, 85.
OATS—Spot, steady; No. 2 white, 52 1/2.

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Philadelphia, May 4 (By A. P.).
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CORN—No. 2 export, 77 @ 77 1/2.
POTATOES—Whites, old, 150-pound sacks, 7.50 @ 8.40; Florida, new, barrel, No. 1, 11.00; No. 2, 8.25 @ 8.50; Sweets, hamper, 4.50; basket, 2.00 @ 2.25.
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Preferred Stock (without par value)	80,000 sha.	25,000 sha.
Common Stock (without par value)	525,000 sha.	500,000 sha.

Note: Of the 80,000 shares of Preferred Stock authorized, 36,500 shares will be designated \$8 Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A, of which 11,000 shares will be reserved for the conversion of the \$1,500,000 Twenty Year 6 1/2% Convertible Gold Notes, Series A, which are convertible up to and including March 31, 1926 into shares of \$8 Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A, and five shares of Common Stock for each \$1,000 face value of notes. The remaining 25,000 shares of authorized Preferred Stock, may be issued either as Series A or other series, but only for acquisition of additional properties, etc., or for the conversion of the authorized and unissued Notes, provided such additional Notes carry a conversion privilege.

Salient features as summarized by Mr. Thad L. Hoffman, President of the Corporation:

Business and Properties: Flour Mills of America, Inc., was incorporated under the laws of Maryland in April, 1926, to acquire, either directly or through entire stock ownership, all the properties and assets of The Kansas Flour Mills Company (which owns the entire capital stock of The Cereals Company) and all the physical properties, trade-marks, brands and goodwill of Valier & Spies Milling Company. These companies own fifteen mills in Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, Illinois, Minnesota and Wisconsin, with an aggregate capacity of 25,000 barrels of flour a day, and have elevator capacity for approximately 6,000,000 bushels. The Corporation will rank as one of the four largest flour milling concerns in the country and it will be the largest manufacturer of hard winter wheat flour in the world. The brands and trade-marks of the two companies are widely and favorably known in the trade, some having been on the market for more than fifty years. Among the more popular brands are "Made-Rite," "Honey Bee," "Big 7," "Enterprise" and "Daunt."

Purpose of Issue: The proceeds from the sale of the 25,000 shares of \$8 Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A, and \$3,500,000 Twenty Year 6 1/2% Convertible Gold Notes, Series A, and 500,000 shares of Common Stock will be used (1) to acquire, either directly or through entire stock ownership, all the properties and assets of The Kansas Flour Mills Company and all the physical properties, trade-marks, brands and goodwill of Valier & Spies Milling Company, with properties, plants and equipment which The American Appraisal Company has appraised, as of November 30, 1925, at a sound value in excess of \$8,529,000, subject only to \$697,000 in first mortgage serial bonds of The Cereals Company, whose entire capital stock is owned by The Kansas Flour Mills Company; (2) to provide additional working capital and (3) for general corporate purposes.

Earnings: The consolidated net income of The Kansas Flour Mills Company and its subsidiary company for the four and one-half years ended November 30, 1925 and of Valier & Spies Milling Company for the four and one-half years ended December 31, 1925, after deducting depreciation and allowing for interest on the outstanding subsidiary company bonds, averaged \$650,589.89 per annum. Deducting from this average net income the annual interest requirements of the \$3,500,000 Twenty Year 6 1/2% Convertible Gold Notes, Series A, and allowing for Federal income tax at the current rate of 13 1/2% which will be levied on 1926 income, the balance of \$365,972.75 is equal to over one and four-fifths times the annual requirement for the \$8 cumulative dividend on the Preferred Stock, Series A.

All legal details in connection with this issue of \$8 Cumulative Preferred Stock, Series A, will be passed upon by Messrs. Masten & Nichols, of New York, for the Bankers. The accounts of The Kansas Flour Mills Company and its subsidiary company and of Valier & Spies Milling Company have been audited by Messrs. Lybrand, Ross Bros. & Montgomery, Accountants and Auditors, of New York. We offer this stock when it is issued and received by us and subject to the approval of counsel. The dividend payable July 1, 1926, will be calculated at the rate of \$8 per share per annum from the date of issuance of the interim Receipts.

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July	88	86	87
Sept.	90	87½	88
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May	14.50	14.40	14.50
July	14.82	14.65	14.70
Ribs:			
May			15.92
July	16.02	16.00	16.00
Beefies—			
May			16.90
July	17.16	17.05	17.16

Inter. Harvester Co. (6).....	1
Inter. Mat. par. pf. (3.26).....	1
Inter. Mer. Mar.	8
Inter. Mer. Mar. pf.	8
Inter. Nickel (2).....	7
Inter. Nickel pf. (6).....	7
Inter. Paper new.....	1
Inter. Shoe (6).....	1
Inter. Tel. & Tel. (6).....	2

(a) Plus extras. (b) If payable in common stock.

Total sales, 1,067,800.

January 1 to date, 159,142.

116	115	116	116
4 59%	59	59%	59%
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3 34	32%	34	3%
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(g) Including extras. (c) Payable in (g) extra 4% stock.

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Wool. (F. W.) Co. (5b) ..	176
Worth. Pump & Mach.	14
Wrl. Aeronautical (1)	14
Yale & Towne Mfg. (5b) ..	1
Yel. Tr. & Coach (.75)	16
Yel. Tr. & C. 7% pfd.(7) ..	5
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97%	97	97	+	1%	97%	Mo
70%	70	70	—	1%	71	Mo

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Milling Receipts. Shipments.		
Memphis....	18.00	3,077
Augusta....	17.63	1,490
Louis.....		762
Monstons....	18.15	5,853
Rock Rick....	17.75	86
anta.....	17.80	
las.....	17.85	
Montgomery..	17.10	
et Worth.....	17.85	
all today.....		11,268
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677; Little Rock, 842; Atlanta, 500;		
465; Montgomery, 390. Total sales to		

EQUITY COURT 2—Mr. Justice Frederick
 MIDDONS presiding; Russell F. Believ, c.
 No. 41198. James H. Lee vs. Robert E.
 auditor's report ratified. Atty. G. G. Jan-
 et. 42260. Minnie S. Chinn vs. Jessie C.
 Marshall, et al. order of publication. Atty.s.
 et al. at St. Rice, J. J. Carmody.
 No. 40180. Mollie Powell vs. Samuel Pow-
 erturnable May 7. Atty.s. George W. Yo-
 Andrew L. Kennedy
 No. 40400. Robert C. Westerfield vs. Sa-
 Westerfield, et al. returnable first Friday.
 Pitt's attys., Thomas Walker, E. Hill,
 Goff's attys., J. T. Seiler, W. L. House-
 J. Y. Koores.

L. K. ... and letters testamentary. Atty.
 Edmund Hill.
 Estate of Mary E. Fowle; petition for au-
 tenty and use of auto. Atty., Andrew Wilson;
 Estate of Laura Virginia Frith; will re-
 dated June 29, 1923.
 Estate of Sophia L. Rutherford; will flo-
 dated February 11, 1926.
 CRIMINAL COURT 1—Mr. Justice A. J.
 Hoeblich, presiding. W. Fearson Gawler,
 clerk.
 No. 85614. U. S. vs. Ziang Sun Wai
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Nolan to Head Delegation.

Maj. Gen. D. E. Nolan has been formally designated by Secretary War Davis as head of the War department representation of the new preliminary conference on limitation of armament, it was announced yesterday.

NATIONALS CAPTURE SECOND FROM RED SOX, 8-7

Hoff Spurs Meet in Frisco

Vaulting Viking Objects to Criticism of Newspapers.

Norwegian Says He'll Compete Only in Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4 (By A. P.).—Charley Hoff, world's greatest pole vaulter, arrived here today from Seattle and reiterated his decision not to compete in the Pacific Athletic association track meet here Saturday. Hoff said he had not been consulted in the matter of participating here; had signed no entry blank, and would leave for Los Angeles to-night, where he is scheduled to perform on May 15.

The noted Norwegian athlete was plainly nettled over criticisms that have been heard regarding his amateur standing and reports that he had been drawing more than his share of expense allotted to amateurs.

Discussing the situation he said: "Possibly this is the end of athletics for me in the West, but I am not going to compete.

"I AM advised that if I don't appear in Kassar stadium here Saturday, I also will be barred from the Los Angeles meet. That doesn't make me mad. I'll take a look at the country anyway.

Hoff enumerated a number of reasons why he would not display his wares here.

"I don't like the way the newspapers treated me in the middle West," he said. "Making all sorts of charges against me.

"I didn't know until three days ago that I was to take part in the San Francisco meet. Nobody got in touch with me.

"I understand that \$200 was sent to the A. A. U. heads for my expenses for a week here. My expenses don't amount to more than

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in the Press Box with Baxter

THE turf has an expression borrowed from abroad, "horses for courses." It is intended to convey the known fact that certain thoroughbreds will race more impressively on some tracks than on others. In Maryland, for instance, there are Bowie horses that find the soft going at the Prince Georges course to their extreme liking. Conversely, there are horses that can not negotiate the sandy going there.

There is in this country, however, another class of thoroughbred that falls in a classification which may, for the lack of a better description, be called the "horses for races" division. The animals in this category have a sort of a sixth sense which enables them to divine when the day is worthy of their effort.

There have of late been many harrowing stories of the extreme distaste which Sarazen has shown for racing. One version had it that it was hard to make the speedy son of High Time work, and that his aversion for labor had reached the point where it was impossible to get him through the gates of the track. Narrators of the story said that the gelding had to be blindfolded finally in order to get him through the gate.

It is hard for those who have watched Sarazen in many of his races to understand this sudden development of temperament. As a 2-year-old he seemed to get more pleasure out of running than the average thoroughbred. He cocked his ears forward as if he were just out for a playful gallop and spread-eagled fields of older horses.

NOW, it is said, that he is a decided sulter, but he seems a quiet horse and a splendid racer when the stake is large enough. He could never get going when the purse was only \$1,500, but he ran a truly good race in the

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Lenglen Trip Ignored by Officials

Lawn Tennis Rulers Refuse to Act on Pyle's Request.

Promoter Hopes to Get French Star for Forest Hills.

NEW YORK, May 4 (By A. P.).—The United States Lawn Tennis association today declined either to take official cognizance at present of the expected visit of Suzanne Lenglen to this country to fulfill a motion-picture contract or to act on a request to sanction her participation in exhibition matches here.

The association's attitude was made known after a meeting of its advisory committee, which had received a request from C. C. Pyle, Chicago promoter and manager of Red Grange, to grant official sanction for Mile. Lenglen to engage in exhibitions in connection with her movie engagement.

James W. Merceau, president of the U. S. L. T. A., issued this statement: "The United States Lawn Tennis association knows nothing officially regarding the proposed trip of Mile. Lenglen, recently announced in the newspapers, and until information is received from the French Lawn Tennis federation, no official expression will be made."

INFORMED of the association's position, Pyle asserted it would not affect his plans to carry out the contract negotiated in France recently by his representative, William H. Pickens, with Lenglen's agent. Pyle said he would go abroad in June to arrange final details for the French star's visit.

At the same time, Pyle indicated an avenue for compromise with the U. S. L. T. A., by announcing he would seek to have Lenglen change her mind and come over here in time to participate in the national women's championships at Forest Hills, N. Y., starting August 16.

A's Again Tumble the Mighty Yanks, 10 to 5

Philadelphia, May 4 (By A. P.).—The Athletics made it two straight over the Yankees by taking today's game, 10 to 5. Huggins' team played ragged ball, making four errors, and Sam Jones was knocked out in the second inning, after striking the locals to a five-run lead.

New York ABH O A Philadelphia ABH O A
Koenig, cf. 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Bishop, c. 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Gehrig, 1b. 5 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Roth, rf. 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Meusel, rf. 5 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Jones, p. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Collins, c. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Thomas, p. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Pascual, c. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Braxton, p. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Adams, c. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
McQuaid, p. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals... 50 13 24 12

*Batted for Thomas in sixth.
*Batted for Braxton in eighth.

New York... 0 3 0 4 2 0 0 0 1-5
Philadelphia... 2 3 0 3 0 0 0 2 10-5
Runs—Combs (2), Ruth, Meusel, Lazzeri, Bishop (2), Cochrane (2), Lamar (2), Hauser, Galloway, Quinn (2). Errors—Meusel, Collins, Jones, Thomas, Cochrane, Galloway. Two-base hits—Ruth, Simmons, Meusel, Koenig, Combs. Home run—Cochrane. Stolen bases—Miller, Sacrifices—Cochrane, Dugan, Jones, Quinn, Bishop, Thomas, Hauser (2), Dykes. Double plays—Quinn to Hauser to Galloway; Dykes to Cochrane; Combs to Koenig to Gehrig. Left on bases—New York, 11; Philadelphia, 7. First base on balls—Struck out—By Thomas, 2; by Braxton, 4; by McQuaid, 3; by Quinn, 4. Off—Jones, 4 in 1 1/2 innings; of Thomas, 4 in 2 3/4 innings; of Braxton, 6 in 2 innings; of McQuaid, 3 in 1 inning. Losing pitcher—Jones.

VIATORS TAKE OFFENER

The Bolling Field nine opened its season, scoring a 24-to-8 victory over the Congress Heights at the former's diamond recently. Games with the service team can be arranged by telephoning the athletic officer at Bolling field.

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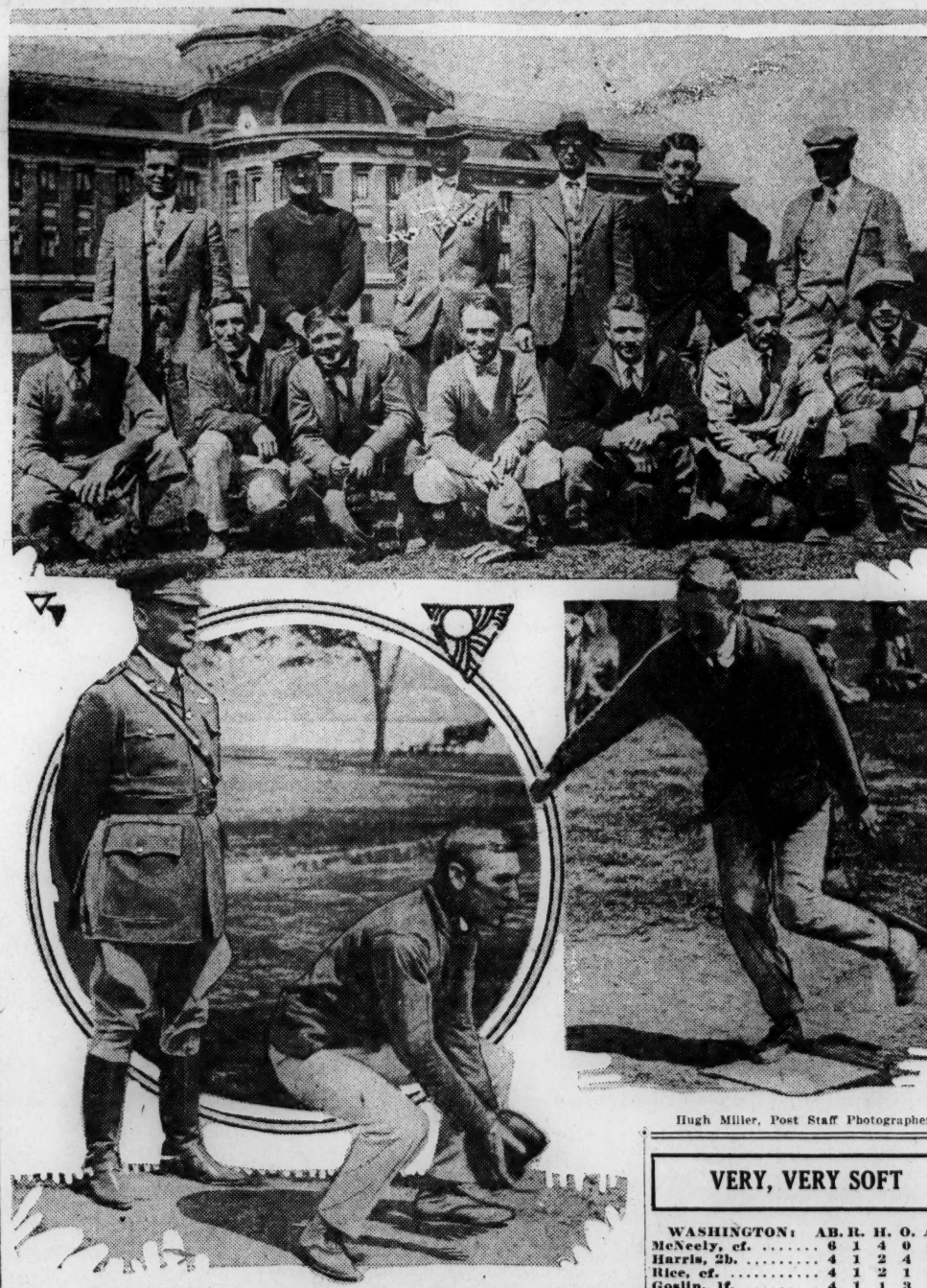
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DOUGHBOY OPINIONS TO THE CONTRARY NOTWITHSTANDING, COLONELS are not always on their dignity as the pictures below prove. A baseball team representing the Army War College, made up entirely of colonels, defeated a nine representing Bolling field yesterday afternoon. The War College squad in the upper picture was composed of Hallan, Blakely, Drain, Gillem, Summervell, Evans and Baird, sitting; Miller, Reardon, Roberts, Crain, Stutesman and Fraansworth, standing. Lower left shows Col. Claggett, commanding officer at Bolling field, umpiring, and Col. Blakely catching. The picture lower right is of Col. Blakely scoring. The final score, by the way, was 12 to 8.



MAJOR LEAGUE STATISTICS

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New York	10	5	.667	Brooklyn	8	8	.500	Philadelphia	7	9	.438	Pittsburgh	6	10	.375	St. Louis	6	10	.375
Chicago	9	6	.600	Chicago	7	9	.438	Cleveland	6	10	.375	Brooklyn	5	11	.313	Chicago	5	11	.313
Cleveland	8	7	.533	New York	6	10	.375	Philadelphia	6	10	.375	Chicago	5	11	.313	Cleveland	5	11	.313
St. Louis	7	8	.469	Philadelphia	6	10	.375	St. Louis	5	11	.313	St. Louis	5	11	.313	Brooklyn	5	11	.313
Philadelphia	6	9	.400	St. Louis	5	11	.313	Brooklyn	5	11	.313	Chicago	5	11	.313	Cleveland	5	11	.313
Boston	5	10	.333	Brooklyn	5	11	.313	Chicago	5	11	.313	Cleveland	5	11	.313	St. Louis	5	11	.313
St. Louis	5	10	.333	Chicago	5	11	.313	Cleveland	5	11	.313	St. Louis	5	11	.313	Brooklyn	5	11	.313
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Indians Take Second From St. Louis Team

Cleveland, May 4 (By A. P.).—Driving Vandergriff from the box in the fifth and taking advantage of St. Louis' errors and Schang's poor throwing to bases, Cleveland made it two straight from the Browns today, winning, 11 to 5.

St. Louis ABH O A Cleveland ABH O A
Bennett, cf. 5 2 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 0
Miller, c. 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Miller, 1b. 5 3 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
St. Louis, 1b. 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Robertson, 3b. 5 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Miller, cf. 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Schang, c. 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Gehrig, 1b. 5 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Vandergriff, p. 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals... 36 12 20 20

*Batted for Vandergriff in ninth.
St. Louis... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 1-5
Cleveland... 2 2 0 0 4 3 0 3-11
Runs—Bennett, Miller, Williams, Robertson, Darr, Jamison (2), Bourque (2), Kamm, Padgett (2), L. Sewell, C. (3). Errors—Padgett. Two-base hits—Williams, Robertson, Schang, Burns, Bourque. Three-base hit—Bourque. Stolen bases—Burns, Padgett, C. Sacrifices—Rice, Meillo. Speaker (2), Jamison. Double plays—Gehrig to Miller to Miller; Padgett to Burns to Burns. Left on bases—St. Louis, 10; Cleveland, 9. First base on balls—Off C. (3), off Van C. (2), off Vandergriff, 1. Hit—Off Vandergriff, 12 in 4 2/3 innings; off Vandergriff, 1 in 3 1/2 innings. Losing pitcher—Vandergriff.

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TODAY, 10 A. M.

Barney Plans 'Firpo' Again Years More With Nats Produces in Pinch

Johnson Thinks He Can Stay for Some Time Yet.

Coveleskie Will Work Final Game for Washington.

By FRANK H. YOUNG.

BOSTON, May 4. Although Walter Johnson's two-year contract expires at the close of the present season, the Old Master declares that this does not mean that he plans to quit the game, as has been printed in many newspapers in the cities the Nats have visited so far this year.

"I did want to get myself a club of my own last year," the Big Train stated, "but the deal fell through, and I have just about decided to stay in the big league game as long as I am able. It would be foolish for me to claim that I am just as good as I ever was after nearly 20 years of service, but I do contend that I still can win my share of games and have not noticed any great decline in my ability within the past few years."

"I expect to be with the Nationals next year and, in fact, as many more years as I can hold my own, but when I quit Washington I plan to put away my uniform for good. For I have what lots of players say is a freaky idea of wanting to play in the big show or not at all."

It will be Stanley Coveleskie on the mound for the Nationals tomorrow with Fred Wengert, formerly of the Braves, today by 3 to 2. National, as his most likely opponent. This will throw Walter Johnson against Eddie Collins' White Sox in Washington on Friday.

Although Curley Ogden has won the only two games he has started this season, this does not mean that he will crowd out any likely Washington's "big four" from their regular assignment wheel, but it does mean that if one slips much, or is forced out for any reason, Ogden will be given first call as his successor.

According to Secretary Eddie Eynon, the Nationals used more baseballs on their 1926 spring training trip than were needed for the whole 1912 season.

Manager Harris believes that he has hit upon the right combination after many experiments, as Peck made a long double by Bischoff, which followed absolutely without the mess by rolling to Todd. The Nats scored a pair of runs in round 3 and again had the bases full when the frame ended. These markers were manufactured from singles by Judge, Peck, Bush and McNeeley.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 5.
LOCAL STATIONS.
EASTERN STANDARD TIME.

WAA—Arlington (435)
10:20 a. m.—3:15 p. m. and 10:05
p. m.—Weather reports.

WCAP—C. & P. Tel. Co. (469)
6:15 to 7:45 a. m.—"Tower Health
Exercises," from WCAP.

6:25 to 6:50 p. m.—Baseball news
of the day.

6:50 to 6:55 p. m.—A talk by Bishop
Frederick Fisher of Calcutta, India.
Subject: "India."

6:45 to 7 p. m.—Mme. Ruby Gerard,
violinist, accompanied by Margaret
Bowie Grant.

7 to 7:30 p. m.—"The Shola Merry-
makers and the Gentleman of 2 in 1,"
from WCAP.

7:30 to 8 p. m.—"Matters Before the
House," Congressman Maurice H.
Thatcher, Republican from Kentucky,
member of appropriations committee;
subject: "National Parks East of the
Mississippi." Congressman Samuel B.
Hill, Democrat from Washington,
member of committee on public lands,
irrigation and reclamation; Indian af-
fairs and expenditures in the Treas-
ury department; subject: "Economic
Questions of Interest to the Coun-
try."

8 to 8:30 p. m.—"Ipana Troubadours,"
from WCAP.

8:30 to 9 p. m.—"Pirates of Penzance,"
by the WCAP Light Opera Company.

9 to 10:30 p. m.—"Wonderlands of
Tomorrow," by Henry D. Hubbard,
secretary of the U. S. bureau of
standards—an address delivered at
the tenth anniversary of the Society
Motion Picture Engineers, held at the
Lee house, Washington. Mr. Hubbard
will be introduced by C. Francis Jen-
kins, well-known inventor and found-
er of the society. Vocal selections
will be rendered by George P. Clark.

10:30 to 11 p. m.—Dance music by
Eddie Ward and his band from the
tenth anniversary of the Society Mo-
tion Picture Engineers at the Lee
house, Washington.

WRC—Radio Corporation of America
(469)

Eastern Standard Time.

11:35 a. m.—Arlington time signals.

12 m.—"Fifty Farm Flashes,"
by Gertrude Smallwood.

12:20 p. m.—Organ recital by Ger-
trude Smallwood.

1 p. m.—Irving Boernstein's Hotel
Washington orchestra.

2 p. m.—Play-by-play account of
the Washington-Boston baseball
game.

3 p. m.—"Housekeeper's Chat" by
Dorothy Townsend.

3:20 p. m.—"Spring Time Tonics" by
Mary E. Turner.

5:40 p. m.—George F. Ross, pianist.
WBAP—Hollywood (256)

11 a. m. to 12 m.—Police news.

DISTANT STATIONS.

KDKA—Pittsburgh (309)

8:15 p. m.—Address.

8:30 p. m.—Concert.

KFI—Los Angeles (467)

8:30 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Continuous
program.

KFKX—Hastings, Neb. (288)

10 to 12 p. m.—Music.

KFO—St. Louis (545)

6:55 p. m.—Talk and music.

KMOX—St. Louis (280)

7 p. m.—Scotch.

8 to 10 p. m.—Music.

11 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

KOA—Denver (322)

8 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Dance.

WABC—St. Louis (268)

2 to 4 a. m. (Thursday)—Music.

KMTR—Hollywood (238)

8 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Continuous.

KOA—Denver (322)

8 p. m.—Stocks.

11:40 p. m.—Mystery play.

KTHS—Hot Springs (375)

10 p. m.—Variety.

WAHG—New York (316)

7:45 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WATC—Columbus (264)

7 p. m.—Studio.

WBAP—Fort Worth (476)

8:30 p. m.—Boys.

10:30 p. m.—Orchestra.

12 p. m.—Music.

WBZ—Springfield, Mass. (323)

7 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous.

WCAO—Baltimore (275)

8 p. m.—Music.

10 p. m.—Dance.

WCAU—Philadelphia (278)

8 p. m.—Soprano.

8:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous.

WCX—Detroit (517)

7 p. m.—Pinner.

8 p. m.—Studio.

WEAF—New York (432)

6:50 p. m.—Composers.

7 p. m.—Shola Merry-makers.

8 p. m.—Detroit.

10 to 12 p. m.—Music.

WENT—Chicago (266)

7 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Continuous.

WFB—Altoona, Pa. (278)

8:30 p. m.—Music.

10:30 p. m.—Reports.

WFI—Philadelphia (385)

1 to 7 p. m.—Continuous.

WGBS—New York (316)

6:30 p. m.—Program.

7 to 11 p. m.—Continuous.

WGH—Clearwater, Fla. (266)

8:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous.

WGHP—Detroit (270)

6 p. m.—Concert.

7 p. m.—Report.

1 to 2 a. m.—Music.

WGB—Buffalo (319)

7:30 p. m.—Reports.

8 to 12 p. m.—Concert.

WGI—Schenectady (389)

6 p. m.—Talk.

6:35 p. m.—Orchestra.

8 p. m.—Music.

WHAM—Rochester (278)

7 to 8 p. m.—Orchestra.

WHO—Des Moines (325)

7:30 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WIL—Philadelphia (308)

1 to 7 p. m.—Continuous.

WJJD—Mooncheart, Ill. (370)

6:30 p. m.—Concert.

9 p. m.—Studio.

11 p. m. to 12 a. m.—Concert.

WJAZ—Chicago (322)

9 p. m. to 1 a. m.—Music.

WJR—Pontiac, Mich. (517)

7 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WJZ—New York (255)

8 p. m.—Imps.

8:30 p. m.—Lewison concert.

9:30 p. m.—Associated Press.

10:45 p. m.—Orchestra.

WKRC—Cincinnati (320)

7 p. m.—Music.

8 to 12 p. m.—Continuous.

WLIT—Philadelphia (394)

2 to 10:45 p. m.—Program.

WLW—Cincinnati (422)

8 p. m.—Concert.

9 p. m.—Orchestra.

10:30 p. m.—Serenaders.

10:30 p. m.—Dance.

WLV—New York (288)

9 to 10:30 p. m.—Pavilion program.

WMAK—Buffalo (260)

7:15 p. m.—News.

8 to 10 p. m.—Continuous.

WPG—Atlantic City (275)

Silent.

WMAQ—Chicago (415)

6 to 9 p. m.—Program.

WMAK—New York (341)

6 to 11:30 p. m.—Program.

WOB—Newark, N. J. (275)

6 to 11:30 p. m.—Program.

WQJ—Chicago (447)

8 to 12 p. m.—Music.

WREO—Lansing (286)

6 p. m.—Concert.

WRYA—Richmond, Va. (256)

8:30 p. m.—Report.

9 p. m.—Talk.

9:15 and 10:15 p. m.—Music.

WSAI—Cincinnati (328)

7 p. m.—Program.

7:30 p. m.—Orchestra.

10 p. m.—Address.

10:15 p. m.—Quartet.

WTAM—Cleveland (389)

6 to 7 p. m.—Program.

8 p. m.—Blue Room.

12 p. m.—Music Box.

WSWS—Chicago (276)

6 p. m.—News.

8 p. m.—Music.

10 p. m.—Songs.

WWJ—Detroit (353)

6 p. m.—Concert.

8 p. m.—Same as WCAP.

WCAO—Baltimore (275)

8 p. m.—Studio.

WCAU—Philadelphia (278)

8 p. m.—Soprano.

8:30 to 10:30 p. m.—Continuous.

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7 p. m.—Pinner.

8 p. m.—Studio.

WEAF—New York (432)

6:50 p. m.—Composers.

7 p. m.—Shola Merry-makers.

8 p. m.—Detroit.

10 to 12 p. m.—Music.

THE GUMPS

OH, MR. GUMP, I'M SORRY TO SEE
YOU GOING AROUND WITH THAT GOLF
BAG—IT'S JUST LIKE CARRYING
YOUR COFFIN ON YOUR BACK. SUPPOSE
ONE OF THOSE GOLF BALLS KNOCKED
YOUR EYE OUT—SUPPOSE AN IRON
FLIES OFF ONE OF THE CLUBS AND
FRACTURES YOUR SKULL. AREN'T YOU
AFRAID OF THE EXPOSURE?
A SUNSTROKE TODAY
RHEUMATISM
TOMORROW.



I HAD A COUSIN JUST AS STRONG
AND HEALTHY AS YOU ARE—HE
HAD A GOOD WIFE AND CHILD—
HE STARTED OUT ONE MORNING TO
PLAY GOLF—I TOLD HIM NOT TO GO
BUT HE WOULDN'T LISTEN TO ME—
HE WENT OUT—IT RAINED ON HIM—
HE GOT PNEUMONIA AND
A SUNSTROKE TODAY
HE ONLY LASTED TWO
DAYS.



Page The Undertaker

A LITTLE TRIP TO A GOLF COURSE WOULDN'T
HURT THAT DARK CLOUD ANY—LET HER TAKE
OFF THAT PAID MOURNER'S OUTFIT AND
GIVE THE FRESH AIR AND SUNSHINE A
CHANCE TO CHASE SOME OF THAT GLOOM
OUT OF HER SYSTEM—HER IDEA OF A
HAPPY HOME IS A POOR HOUSE
OVERLOOKING A
CEMETERY.



MINUTE MOVIES

THE SERIAL CYCLONIC
MISSING
MEN
FILMED BY ED WHEELAN
EPISODE EIGHT
THE PROFESSORS STORY

PROF. W. H. FRAUD
HAVING PLANTED
HIS "MISSING
LINK" HOAX IN THE
WILDS OF BRAZIL,
RETURNS TO
AMERICA AND
ANNOUNCES HIS
DISCOVERY TO THE
SCIENTISTS' CLUB.

ONE DAY I CAUGHT A GLIMPSE OF IT AND I
SWEAR, GENTLEMEN, IF THAT SPOT IS NOT THE
HOME OF THE MISSING LINK, MY THEORY
IS ALL
WRONG!!

FOR YEARS I HAVE BEEN WORKING ON THE THEORY
THAT THE PREHISTORIC MAN INHABITED SOUTH AMER-
ICA, AND MY TRIP OF EXPLORATION UP THE AMAZON HAS
CONVINCED ME THAT I AM RIGHT!! I WOULD HAVE
CAPTURED THE THING BUT
FOR THE FACT I WAS ALONE
AND MY BRAZILIAN GUIDES
BECAME PANIC-
STRICKEN!!

WHAT DO YOU PROPOSE TO DO
ABOUT IT, FRAUD? WE CAN'T
GET ANYWHERE ON A SUPPOSITION!
WE MUST SEE THE
CREATURE AND
STUDY IT!!

QUITE SO, SIR—THEREFORE I SUGGEST
THAT WE FORM A PARTY OF SCIENTIFIC
INVESTIGATORS TO RETURN WITH ME
AND SEE IF WE CANNOT FIND THIS
STRANGE BEING,
THEREBY GIVING TO
THE WORLD SCIENTI-
FIC KNOWLEDGE
THAT THE LINK
DOES EXIST!!

MEANWHILE POOR
SIM, THE HYPNOTIZED
DUPE OF THE
FAME-SEEKING
PROFESSOR,
TAKES MORE
AND MORE EACH
DAY TO THE LIFE
OF A SIMIAN



GASOLINE ALLEY

GOLLY, I MUSTN'T LET
PHYLLIS KNOW I'M WORRIED!
BUT I DON'T WANT TO LOSE
OUT ON THAT FLORIDA
ACREAGE JUST BECAUSE
TWO OTHERS CAN'T MEET
THEIR PAYMENTS. THAT'S
THE HECK OF GOING IN WITH
SOMEBODY ELSE YOU'RE NOT
CERTAIN OF. I WISH I HAD
THE MONEY TO TAKE
OVER THE WHOLE THING.

WELL THE OLD BOY
IS FEELIN' PRETTY
SPRY THIS MORNING,
PHYLLIS. HOW IS THE
MOST WONDERFUL
GIRL IN THE WORLD?

WONDERFUL
WELL, THEN
EVERYBODY'S
HAPPY.
WE'VE GOT
THE WORLD
BEFORE US.

WALT, YOU'RE
WORRIED
ABOUT
SOMETHING.

ME? WITH
EVERYTHING
IN THE WORLD
COMING MY
WAY? I
SHOULD
SAY NOT.

YES YOU
ARE, WALT
YOU MIGHT
JUST AS
WELL COME
ACROSS
AND TELL
ME ALL
ABOUT IT.

HOW DO
THEY GET
IT? IT'S
UNCANNY!



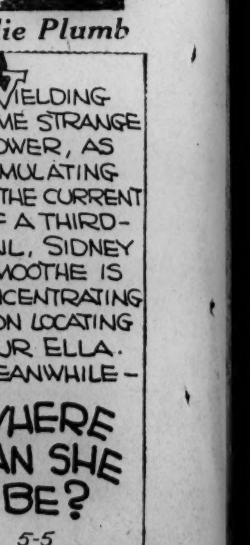
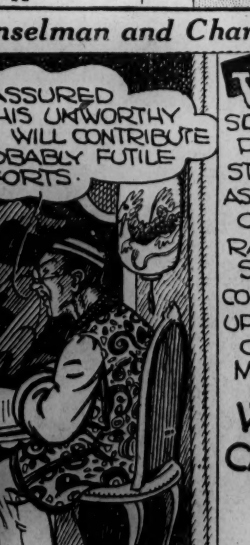
YOU KNOW ME, AL—He Learns Through Experience.

KIND O' CLEAN AIN'T
YOU BOY? YOU'RE SO
LIGHT YOU BETTER TIE
SOMETHING ON YOUR
FEET OR YOU'LL GO UP

DE FIGHT AM OVAH.
DE DOUGH HAS CHANGED
HANDS AND VO REMARKS
AM SPERFLOUS

NEXT TIME, STEVE, TAKE
MY ADVICE AND YOUR
PAY DAYS WON'T SEEM
SO FAR APART

OH DON'T GET ON NO FIGHTS
NO MO' DAYS SETTLED. IF
YO' SEES ME WIT' ANY MONEY
FROM NOW ON—AH HAS EARNED
IT. AHM NEVER GWINE TO BET ON
WHAT SOMEBODY ELSE CAN DO
CAUSE AH KNOWS JES' WHAT AH
CAN DO AND AHM GWINE TO
KEEP DOIN' IT



LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

EGGS.—Average receipts, 28¢/29¢; candled, 29¢30¢; hennery, 32¢/33¢.

POULTRY.—Alive: Turkeys, 25¢; sprigs, 15¢/16¢; 33¢35¢; winter chickens, 35¢/45¢; fowls, 32¢; leghorns, 27¢; ducks, 20¢25¢; geese, 15¢/20¢; young keats, 85¢/90¢; dressed: turkeys, 40¢; 45¢; spring chickens, 30¢/35¢; winter chickens, 35¢/40¢; leghorns, 30¢; ducks, 30¢; geese, 20¢; keats, 30¢/1.00.

LIVE STOCK.—Calves, top 12¢; medium, 10¢11¢; thin, 7¢8¢; pork, small to medium, 17¢; heavy, 15¢16¢; spring lambs, 10¢11¢.

APPLES.—Supplies moderate; demand light; market steady. Barrels, Maryland and Virginia, A 24-inch, 45¢; B 24-inch, 40¢; C 24-inch, 35¢; Winesaps, 65¢/66¢; A 24-inch, 45¢; B 24-inch, 40¢; C 24-inch, 35¢.

4. large size, extra fancy Winesaps, 2.75; 3.00; fancy Delicious, 3.50; extra fancy Rome, 2.50.

ASPARAGUS—Supplies liberal; demand moderate; market dull and slightly weaker. South Carolina dozen bunch crates, large, very small size, 90¢@1.00; 1 1/2 size, 3.50@4.50; small size, 2.50@3.00. Maryland, Eastern Shore, 2-dozen crates, **GREEN** large size, 3.00 per dozen bunches.

CABBAGE—Supplies liberal; demand light; market steady. South

LETTUCE—Supplies: moderate; demand moderate; market steady. Arizona crates, iceberg type, 4-5 dozen, \$2.50-\$2.75; California crates, 4-5 dozen, \$2.50-\$2.75. New crates, Big Boston type, \$2.50-\$2.50.

ONION—Supplies: moderate; demand moderate; market steady. New stock: Texas, standard crates, yellow, Bermudas, U. S. No. 1, 2.50-\$2.50; Ohio, standard crates, yellow, 100-lb. sacks, yellow, 4.50.

POTATO—Supplies: light; demand moderate; market firm, old stock. Michigan, 100-lb. sacks, Russet, U. S. No. 1, 3.00-\$3.25; Idaho, 100-lb. sacks, 3.25. New stock: Florida, double head barrels, Spaulding Rose, U. S. No. 1, 3.00-\$3.25.

STRAWBERRIES—Supplies: increasing; demand moderate; market steady. North Carolina, 100-lb. crates, 100-150 bushels, 1.00-\$1.25; California, 100-lb. crates, 100-150 bushels, 1.00-\$1.25.

TOMATO—Supplies: moderate; demand moderate; market steady. California, 100-lb. crates, 100-150 bushels, 1.00-\$1.25.

7.00; choice count, 6.50; 210's, 4.00; 4.50; poorer, fancy and choice count, 5.00 to 6.00.

PEAS—Beans—Supplies very light; demand moderate; market firm. Florida, 7-bushel hampers, green, fair quality and condition, 4.50 to 5.50; few best high as 7.00.

POTATOES—Supplies very light; too few for a reliable market.

BEETS—Supplies light; demand moderate; market steady. Virginia, Norfolk section, hothead stock, crates bunched, 11 to 12¢ per bunch.

CARROTS—Supplies light; demand moderate. South Carolina, Santee

Carolina, bushel hamper, Linton
poorly filled, 3.00 @ 33.50.
CUCUMBERS — Supplies moderate;
demand moderate; market slightly
weaker. Florida, square, bushel
crates, fancy, 5.00 @ 55.
SQUASH — Supplies light; demand
moderate; market fairly steady.
Florida, pepper crates, fancy white,
large size, 4.00 @ 4.50; yellow, for
sales, 5.00.

Baltimore, Md., May 4. (By A. P.)
WHEAT—Closing: No. 2, garlic
spot, 1.69.
POULTRY—Alive: Old hens, 4 1/2 lb
and over, 33¢; 3 1/2 to 4 lbs., 3
springers, 1 1/4 lbs. and over, 48¢.
Other grades and ducks unchanged.
EGGS—Nearly fresh-gathered first
25¢.
Other articles unchanged.

Sales—Regular call, 11:15 a. m.
Capital Traction Co. \$500 at 99½.
Georgetown Gas Co. \$500 at 96.
Washington Gas Co. \$1,000 at 100½.
Washington Gas Co. \$1,325, \$500 at 103½, \$200 at 102½, \$200 at 102½.
Potomac Elec. P. Co. 5 at 107½, 4 at 107½, 5 at 107½.
Wash. Ry. and Elec. P. Co. 7 at 90½.
10 at 90½, 10 at 96½.
Amer. Sec. & Trust. 10 at 386.

Nat. Mfg. & Inv. pt., 50 at 84.
at 84, 50 at 84.
Peoples Drug Stores pf., 20 at 39
at 99.
After call:
Mergenthaler Linotype, 6 at 109.
Nat. Mfg. & Inv. pt., 140 at 84.
Columbia Title Insurance, 25 at 9.
Lanston Monotype, 10 at 85, 10
50.
MONEY.

BONDS.		
PUBLIC UTILITIES.		
	Bid	Ask
Amn. T. & T. col't 4s.....	97 1/2	98
Amn. T. & T. conv. 4 1/2 s.....	99 1/2	100
Amn. T. & T. col. tr. 5s.....	102 1/2	103
Ana. & P. R. R. 1st 5s.....	95	96
Ana. & P. Riv. guar. 5s.....	95	96
C. & P. Telephone 1st 5s.....	98 1/2	99
C. & P. Tel. of Va. 5s.....	99 1/2	100

Capital Traction 1st 5s...	99	100
City & Sub. Ry. 1st 5s...	85	85
Georgetown Gas Lt. 1st 5s	94	94
Pot. Elec. Pow. 1st 5s...	100	100
P. E. P. cons. 5s...	100 1/2	100
Pot. Elec. Pow. gl.cref. 6s	100 1/2	107
Pot. Elec. Pow. ref. 7s...	100 1/2	106
Wash. Al. & Mt. V. 1st 5s...	12	
Wash., Al. & Mt. V. ctf.	6	
Wash. Bal. & Anap. 1st 5s.	65	
Wash. Gas Light gen. 5s...	100 1/2	

Wash. Gas Light Co. 6s...	103	103
Wash. R. & E. Cons. 4s...	81½	82
W.R.&E. gl. & ref. 6s...	102	102
MISCELLANEOUS.		
D. C. Paper Mfg. 1st cs...	84	86
Pot. Jt. Stk. Ld. Bank 5s...	101	103
Southern Bldg. Co. 6½s...	101½	102
Wash. Mkt. Cold Stge. 5s...	95	95
STOCKS.		
PUBLIC UTILITIES.		

Ann. Tel. & Tel.	148
Capital Traction	162 1/2
Washington Gas	168 1/2
N. & W. Steamboat	271
Pot. Elec. Pow. pf.	107 1/2
Pot. Elec. Interim Repts.	105 1/2
W. R. & E. com.	175
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pf.	90 1/2
NATIONAL BANKS.	
Columbia	350

Commercial (stamped)	220	
District	212	
Farmers & Mechanics	309	
Federal-American	320	350
Liberty	205	213
Lincoln	275	
Metropolitan	490	
Riggs	450	460
Second	273	285
Washington	270	
TRUST COMPANIES.		

3	Amer. Sec. & Trust.....	285	350
3	Continental Trust.....	95	100
7	Merch. Bank & Tr. Co.....	150	150
7	Nat. Sav. & Trust.....	497	
	Union Trust.....	229	
1	Wash. Loan & Trust.....	470	
	SAVINGS BANKS		
8	Commerce & Savings.....	255	
9	East Washington.....	28	
9	Sec. Sav. & Com'l.....	325	

Seventh Street	200
United States	500
Washington Mechanics	50
FIRE INSURANCE.	
American	200
Corcoran	120
Firemen's	21½
National Union	21
TITLE INSURANCE.	
Columbia	8½

Real Estate	170	
Title & Inv. Co. of Md. com	52	60
MISCELLANEOUS.		
D. C. Paper Mfg. Co. pf...	63	
Federal Storage Co. pf...	102	108
Lanston Monotypo	85	86
Merch. Trf. & Stge.	115	
Merch. Trf. & Stge. pf.	100	100
Merk. Linotype new	103	110
Nat. Mfg. & Inv. Co. pf.	8 1/2	8
Recluse Drug Stores pf	99	100

Security Storage	386	
Washington Market	52	55
*Ex dividend.		
1Ex rights.		
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3 1/2	Dec.	15, 1926	100 1-1	100 10-3
4 1/4	Mar.	15, 1927	101 1-16	101 5-8
4 1/2	Dec.	15, 1927	101 1-2	101 9-16

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LOST

JAPANESE SABLE—Narrow stole, dark
brown; reward. Return Hotel Gratton
office.
COLLIE DOG—Name Pat; brown and white,
black neck; new collar. Lincoln 7074.
POCKETBOOK—Between Conn. ave. & 14th
St. W., containing diamond ring and keys; re-
ward. Apply 300 E. St. N.W.
WALLLET containing bills, stamps, check and
receipts; liberal reward. V. D. Barnes, 1970
24th st. N.W.
GOLD PIN—pearl setting; Saturday afternoon,
between Veterans Bureau and Potomac. Main
2000, apt. 200.
POLICE DOG—Female; light tan color; no
collar; vicinity 14th and G Sts. N.W.; re-
ward. Return 222 E. St. N.W.
LOST—Silver watch; gold and platinum
chain; on Saturday, May 1, between 10th
St. and Columbia County, apply, Nichols
on back, W. G. K. Edwards, Call Main
2000, apt. 200.
POCKETBOOK—Between 17th and H Sts. and
Palace theater, April 29, 1926. Call
on Pot. 1024.
PURSE—Small, brown, with money and key-
chain, 1700 Col. rd. and 2200 10th and N. W.
at 4 p. m. Monday. Reward. Potomac 3014.
SUITCASE—Black, between Calvert St.
bridge and Chevy Chase circle; initials, A.
J. Chubb, 1010 14th St. N.W.; Chevy
Chase, Minnigrove, 8 Oxford St., Chevy
Chase.

FOUND

KNIFE, Conn. ave. Send description to Box
508, Washington Post.
POCKETBOOK, containing money. Call Col.
2000.
COLLIE DOG—Tag 10499, 700 L St. N.W.
MONEY—On 20th st. Owner may obtain same
by proving identification. Call at 2000 L
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Ivanhoe, dis-
inherited be-
cause he loves
Rowena, Ced-
ric's ward, has
entered the to-
urnament as the
disinherited
knight in armor
lost him his
Jew, whose life
he had saved.
He is victori-
ous the first
day, winning
the right to
choose Rowena
as his tournament
partner. He has
refused, however,
to reveal his name
to Prince John.

That night
Ivanhoe
disappeared
Gurth with
a bag of the
prize gold to
repay
Isaac
of York

Gurth
found
Isaac
in a
richly
furnished
apartment

While
Gurth
counted
out the
shells
for
Isaac,
Rebecca
left
the
room.

As Gurth
left,
Rebecca
stopped him
"My father
owes
me more than
shells,"
she said.
"Return
these to the
brave knight."

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able men with identifica-
tion cards can make big
money with us this Spring
and Summer. Apply at
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AUTO MECHANIC, experienced, \$35-\$40 wk.
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DOCTORS HAVE LOST PUBLIC CONFIDENCE, SENATORS ARE TOLD

Antivivisectionists Would Prevent Further Experiments on Animals.

VACCINATION DECLARED TO HAVE BEEN FAILURE

Petition Signed With 30,000 Names Introduced in Support of Measure.

Medical science has failed to make good its "extravagant claims," antivivisectionists declared yesterday before the Senate District subcommittee holding hearings on the bill prohibiting experiments on animals in the District and American insular possessions, introduced by Senator Fletcher, of Florida.

Public confidence is being rapidly lost by the medical profession and doctors have failed to make good their claims for cures of various diseases, supporters of the Fletcher bill declared. Insulin, vaccination, diphtheria antitoxin, are failures; reduction in typhoid fever has been brought about by better water and not by medicine, they declared.

Statements of the antivivisectionists, made principally by John S. Codman, of Boston, and Charles Edward Russell, publicist and socialist, were frequently interrupted with applause by the audience, mostly elderly women, who crowded the District committee room where the hearings were conducted by Senators Bruce, of Maryland, and Glass, of Virginia.

Presentation of the case in support of the measure was in charge of the Rev. Charles Ernest Smith, of St. Thomas' Episcopal church, of Washington. The testimony of witnesses before the committee was supplemented by a petition filed with the committee which contained, it was said, 30,000 names of persons residing in all parts of United States territory, including some in Hawaii. Several hundred letters have been received by the committee.

Cruelties Inflicted.

Cruelties were inflicted on dogs and other animals by persons following "will o' wisp" cures for human diseases which are never found," Mr. Russell declared. Rheumatism is one of the most common ailments, but no cure has been found for it, he declared.

"The medical profession has lost its human touch—possessed by the old-time doctor—and has come to regard human beings as 'test tubes' for their experiments," he declared.

The worst horrors of the laboratory are not made known to the public, Mr. Codman declared, citing many instances of what he described as unnecessary and fruitless cruelty to animals.

Opponents of the bill will be heard by the subcommittee when hearings are resumed in the committee room at 10:30 o'clock this morning, when representatives of the American Medical association, the public health service and several prominent doctors will be heard.

Rare Leopard Dies at Zoo; to Be Mounted

Olga, the great, sleek snow leopard that for six years has been an object of interest to visitors at the Washington zoo, is dead.

Old age and a complication of ailments are responsible for the loss of the leopard, believed to have been the only one of its type in captivity in the United States. A. B. Baker, acting director of the National Zoological park, has turned the animal over to the Smithsonian institution. It will be mounted and placed on exhibition at the museum.

LEDBETTER RITES TOMORROW

Retired Officer of Navy Will Be Buried at Annapolis.

Commander Robert Emmet Ledbetter, retired, medical corps, died yesterday after a long illness.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning from the W. R. Spears undertaking parlors, 1623 Connecticut avenue. Interment will be in the Naval Academy cemetery at Annapolis, Md. Commander Ledbetter is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Cowie Ledbetter, daughter of Rear Admiral Thomas J. Cowie.

TODAY'S HAPPENINGS

Luncheon—Rotary club; Willard hotel; 12:30 o'clock.

Meeting—Board of Education; Franklin School building; 3:30 o'clock.

Entertainment—Washington Centennial Masonic Lodge No. 14; Masonic temple, Thirteenth street and New York avenue northwest; 7:30 o'clock.

Meeting—Association Oldest Inhabitants, District of Columbia; Union Engine house, Nineteenth and H streets northwest; 7:30 o'clock.

Meeting—The District of Columbia Public School association; board room of the District building; 8 o'clock.

Meeting—West Virginia society; Fourteenth and Kenyon streets northwest; 8 o'clock.

Meeting—Longevity Legion; 1628 K street northwest; 8 o'clock.

Unveiling of the tablet in Arlington National cemetery; 2:30 o'clock.

Party—A benefit card party will be held by the Woman's Benefit association at 8 o'clock tonight in Odd Fellows hall.

Capture of Cantigny Will Be Celebrated

Arrangements for a dinner May 28, in commemoration of the eighth anniversary of the capture of Cantigny are being made by District of Columbia branch of the Society of the First Division, A. E. F. The committee hopes to have as its guests of honor Gen. Pershing and the wartime commanders of the division. Brief reminiscences, songs of the front and other entertainment features will compose the program.

Any one who served in the division, whether a member of the District branch or not, is urged to make reservations by communicating with the Cantigny committee, room 393, War Department.

3 BEQUESTS OF \$25,000 MADE IN WOMAN'S WILL

Mrs. S. L. Rutherford Also Makes Gifts to Church and Incurables Home.

GALLERY GIVEN STATUE

Three \$25,000 bequests are contained in the will of Mrs. Sophie L. Rutherford, who died April 29, which was filed yesterday in probate court. The beneficiaries are a godchild, Katharine V. Crisp, and two cousins, Kate C. Stone and Katharine V. S. Crisp, who are also bequeathed certain personal effects.

St. Paul's Episcopal church is given \$2,000, and the Home for Incurables is to have the library contained in the Rutherford home at 2001 O street northwest, together with two portraits. It appears in the will that the O street residence was given to Mrs. Rutherford for life, and at her death it is to go to the home.

Anne Poynter and Daisy Hunter are given \$1,000 each, and George Curtis is given \$500. Jesse A. Moran is given \$1,000 and certain personal effects. Various friends and relatives are remembered with gifts of personal and household effects.

The Corcoran art gallery is given a marble statue which is not described in the will except as to present location in the Rutherford home. The National museum is given a fan made of duchess lace. Miss E. L. Chapman is given \$1,000 and the Washington City orphan asylum is given \$2,000. The Children's hospital is to have the toys now in a case in the library, of the Rutherford home. St. Thomas Episcopal church is given certain jewelry. The balance of the estate is given to Kate C. Stone, Katharine V. Crisp and Katharine V. S. Crisp. Harry G. Meem and the Washington Loan & Trust Co. are named executors.

Sarah C. Malvan, sister of Mrs. Laura V. Frith, who died April 27, is given \$2,000 in the will of Mrs. Frith. William Malvan, Lewis B. Malvan, Beatrice E. Malvan, Josephine Mitchell, Hattie E. Lewis, Percival M. Bruce, Laura L. Glenn, Whittington H. Bruce, Joseph S. Bruce and Benjamin B. Bruce, nieces and nephews of Mrs. Frith, are each given \$1,000. Constance S. Bruce, a niece is given \$100 in bonds and the niece Laura L. Glenn is given a sea skin coat. The balance of the estate is devised to John C. Bruce and Ellsworth M. Bruce, brothers of Mrs. Frith. The Washington Loan & Trust Co. is named executor.

Mrs. Clara Essary Barnard, who died April 13, left an estate valued at about \$30,000 according to the petition for letters testamentary filed by Attorney Philbrick McCoy on behalf of the executor, Philip E. Barnard, a son of Mrs. Barnard. The latter was also survived by a daughter, Helen E. D. Williams.

CARTY NAMED HEAD OF CITIZENS' GROUP

Columbia Heights Association Elects Officers in Spirited Contest.

Alton B. Carty was chosen president of the Columbia Heights Citizens association, in a closely contested election held last night, in St. Stephen's hall. Mr. Carty was opposed by J. Clinton Hiatt, chairman of the public safety committee, who polled 74 votes to his adversary's 59. Dr. Seneca B. Bain was elected first vice president without opposition.

Elizabeth A. Hayden was made second vice president, while Francis J. Ford and John C. Mulford were tied for the office of third vice president. Other officers elected were Leo Kershenbaum, treasurer; H. C. Phillips, secretary, and Harley V. Speelman and W. B. Todd, delegates to the Federation of Citizens Associations.

The association adopted a resolution requesting the District Commissioners to order all buses in the city to stop before crossing any street railway line, regardless of whether bus stop-signs are on the near or far side of the tracks.

FIRST OF PRIZE FIGHT CASES GOES TO TRIAL

Charges Against Two Pugilists and Alleged Bout Promoter Presented Court.

The first round of the five prize-fight cases resulting from the raid on the Arcade on January 12 last, started yesterday before Justice Stafford and a jury of twelve referees in criminal court.

Assistant District Attorney O'Leary and Philby presented the cases of John Cody, Fort Myer soldier, and Philip Raymond, of Baltimore, who are said to have been paid in the first of the five bouts, and Frank Dane, alias Frank Caccarelli, the promoter, who are charged with violating section 876 of the District code, which prohibits pugilistic encounters where money or anything of value is passed either directly or indirectly.

Dane, as president of the National Capital Sporting club, is charged with having promoted the bouts.

NEWS EVENTS OF THE CITY IN PICTURES



The memorial bridge commission yesterday discussed the plans for the Arlington Memorial bridge. Left to right—Vice President Charles G. Dawes, Senator Bert M. Fernald, of Maine; Nicholas Longworth, Speaker of the House; Maj. U. S. Grant 3d, director of public buildings and parks in this city, and Representative Richard N. Elliott, of Indiana.



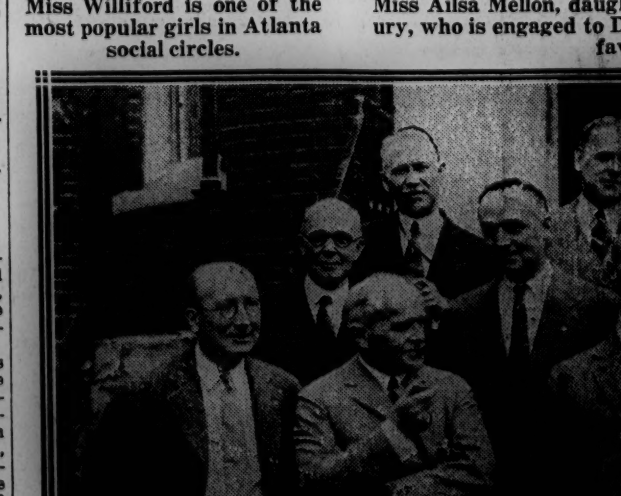
A mineral that converts sunshine into electricity has been discovered by officials of the bureau of standards.

Dr. William Coblenz, of the bureau, the discoverer, examining the mineral, known as molybdenite.



Miss Mildred Willford, of Atlanta, Ga., who is the guest of Mrs. Alfred Pembroke Thom for a few days.

Miss Willford is one of the most popular girls in Atlanta social circles.



Principal members of the Architects association, which opens its annual convention here today. Front row, left to right—William L. Steele, vice president; C. C. Zantinger, secretary; D. Everett Waid, president; W. B. Cuttner, treasurer; Abram Garfield, vice president. Center row—J. Monroe Hewlett, C. H. Hammond, N. G. Walker and Goldwin Goldsmith. Back row—W. J. Sayward, F. Ellis Jackson, Edwin Bergstrom and Edward C. Kemper.



Miniature shad bake held by members of the Board of Trade prior to their annual shad bake on May 28. Left to right—C. Clifford Thomas, at whose estate at Kirkside, Md., the bake was held; Richard Conner, R. N. Wafle and T. Brooke Amis.



Miss Ailsa Mellon, daughter of the Secretary of the Treasury, who is engaged to David K. E. Bruce, riding one of her favorite horses.

Post W. Musson, 63-year-old postman, who has been delivering mail for 35 years, averaging eight miles a day. His present route, which he has been on for five years, is in Georgetown.

Contracts Awarded For Bridge Granite

With the award of contracts totaling nearly \$2,000,000 for the granite which is to be used in the construction of the memorial bridge connecting the Lincoln Memorial and Arlington cemetery, the bridge commission yesterday assured a continuation of the work for the next two years. The commission meeting in the White House with President Coolidge officiating as chairman, let the contract for the granite for the substructure to the Stone Mountain Granite Co. for \$207,000. The remainder of the granite will be furnished by the North Carolina Granite Co. at a cost of \$1,615,000. All of the materials will be delivered within the coming three years.

CARBERRY GROUP DENIES POLITICS IN FUND ARREST

Parent-Teacher Body Says Mrs. Woodcock's Attitude Forced Action.

PAYMENT IS PROMISED

Absolute denial that "politics" was concerned in the arrest of Mrs. Loretta Marie Woodcock, 229 C street northeast, on a charge of larceny after trust in connection with the handling of funds for milk provided children at Carberry school, was made by the executive committee of the Carberry Parent-Teacher association in a statement prepared last night.

The statement was in reply to an assertion by Mrs. Woodcock that politics within the organization was responsible for her arrest for a shortage found in the fund, and that "cats in the organization" was "one reason for all this."

Mrs. Woodcock explained that she had paid a bill of more than \$100 in February for milk for the children, and that the shortage was the result of the delayed payment of bills since that time.

The Parent-Teacher association, it developed, began the practice of providing the children with milk and cracker lunches at morning recess last October, the children who could afford it being required to pay 5 cents for a bottle of milk and two crackers, and those who could not afford it being given the lunch free.

Mrs. Woodcock was made chairman of the milk fund.

The committee, in its statement, declared that "the association was compelled to take legal action" after "all peaceable and persuasive methods" had failed.

She declares that she has arranged to pay the amount due today, and thus "to end all this trouble and publicity." The preliminary trial scheduled for the case in police court yesterday was deferred until the latter part of the week.

3 OSTEOPATH GROUPS REVEALED AT HEARING

Pending Bill to Regulate Practice Is Considered at Public Session.

Three groups of osteopathic practitioners were revealed to exist where the commissioners thought there was only one, when the pending bill to regulate the practice of osteopathy was considered in public hearing yesterday in the District building.

The District Medical society opposed the bill and for that reason Commissioner Frederick A. Fennell, who is an honorary member of it and attorney for it, took no part in the hearing.

Dr. Joseph W. Wall, president of the medical society, submitted a proposed substitute bill for a composite board of examiners to regulate licensing of all healers. Chester D. Swope, chairman of the legislative committee of the Osteopathic Association of the District, said his organization would agree to the substitute if osteopaths were not discriminated against on the composite board.

C. Richard Smith, speaking for the District Chiropractic society, opposed the substitute. F. T. Evans, vice president of the Washington Osteopathic association, criticized the bill on the ground that it would deprive present practitioners of license unless they had practiced for ten years. He thought two years sufficient. Conrad Praetorius, head of the National Capital Osteopathic association, endorsed the measure.

HOWARD TRUSTEES SILENT ON ACTION

No Announcement Made as to Result of Meeting in New York.

Action of a committee of five, three white, of the special committee of the trustee board of Howard university which met at the office of Theodore Roosevelt, in New York, Monday, to canvass names of candidates for the presidency of the institution, to succeed Dr. J. Stanley Durkee, who resigned last week, was definitely ascertained yesterday. The subcommittee refused to disclose the nature of its report until it is submitted to the full board at the annual session in June.

On invitation of the committee of the trustee board, the general alumni association of the university, through its officers and representatives, presented to the trustees the type of president who would meet their approval, specifying educational and executive qualifications desired. These, it is understood, were of a very high character. Their adoption, it is said, would eliminate all but one or two negro candidates for the presidency.

Recommendations from the faculty of the university were filed, including the names of Dean Kelly Miller, Dean George W. Cook and Dr. W. V. Tunnell, all of whom have seen long service at Howard.

3 ALLEGED BANDITS INDICTED IN THEFT AT WILLIAMS HOME

New Grand Jury Returns Total of 49 Charges Against 61 Persons.

RITTMAYER, ARCHITECT, IS ACCUSED OF BIGAMY

Brookland Postoffice Clerk Said to Have Stolen Money From Letters.

The new grand jury returned 49 indictments yesterday, which charge various offenses against 61 persons. Charges against 7 persons were ignored.

The principal indictment results from the robbery at the home of Mrs. Caroline C. Williams, 1227 Sixteenth street northwest, on March 7 last, in which jewelry valued at more than \$3,000 was taken by six armed men. The grand jury indicted three of the alleged bandits. They are Joseph Davis, alias Joseph Davidoff, alias George Esiponok; William Solomon, alias William Dunn, and James Herman, alias James Hodge. The charge is housebreaking and robbery.

Mrs. Williams was gagged and her daughter, Mrs. Wilber E. Wilder, was restrained by a pistol pointed at her temple. Eight servants were tied to chairs in the kitchen, and the house ransacked. Nearly all of Mrs. Williams' jewelry was in a safe deposit vault in a downtown bank. A ring valued at \$2,500 was torn from Mrs. Williams' finger.

The robbers gained entrance by showing revenue agents' badges to the servants. Davis was captured by Linwood Hawkins, manager of the Washington Post, in a fight in an alley in the rear of the Williams home. Herman and Solomon are still at large, and the identity of the other three men is unknown.

Indicted for Bigamy.

Josef Rittmayer, alias Sigward J. Reed, an architect, was indicted on a charge of bigamy. The indictment alleges that he married Hedwig Kierdorf in Philadelphia on March 19, 1917, and while still the husband of this woman, it is charged, he married Mrs. Ottilie Gobel in this city on December 2, 1924. Mrs. Gobel is said to be the widow of a wealthy New York meat packer.

Michael J. O'Toole, postoffice clerk, assigned to the Brookland branch postoffice, was indicted on charges of violating the postal regulations. He is accused of having abstracted from the mails several letters addressed to the Rev. Lewis J. O'Hern, of the Apostolic mission at Brookland, which contained small amounts of money.

Herbert H. Krueger, bookkeeper for the Washington Gaslight Co., was indicted on a charge of embezzlement. The five counts of the indictment allege that he took a total of \$447 from his employers from March 18, 1925, to October 30 of that year.

The names of other persons indicted and the charges against them will be found in the daily legal record of The Post.

Faga Tries to Offset Inventory Charges

To offset charges that Lieut. William H. Faga, marine, was careless about taking inventories of property, and permitted enlisted barracks stores key, testimony was introduced at his hearing at the navy yard yesterday that former official orders permitted enlisted men to carry the key and that the accused officer had made inventories as he was supposed to.

Hearings have been resumed after two weeks' recess. Lieut. Faga is charged with embezzlement, desertion and conduct unbecoming an officer, all of which he denies.

Woman Asks Divorce on Cruelty Grounds

Extreme cruelty and drunkenness are charged against Edward B. Dean, an attorney and son of Edward Beecher Dean, wealthy realtor, in a petition for limited divorce filed yesterday in equity court by Mrs. Mabel J. Dean, 2901 Sixteenth street northwest, through Attorneys Lambert, Yeatman & Canfield.

Mrs. Dean was married December 27, 1921, and has two children who are in her custody. She will ask the court next Friday to issue a restraining order to prevent further alleged harm at her husband's hands.

Workman Injured By Steam Hammer

Andrew Scollie, 35 years old, 2118 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, employed as a workman on the construction of the Arlington Memorial bridge, was seriously injured yesterday when he was hit on the head by a large steam hammer.

He was taken to Emergency hospital at the Third precinct patrol and treated for lacerations to the head. He will recover physicians at the hospital said.

Coolidge Receives Wholesalers.

Five officers of the Cooperative Wholesale Society, Limited, the largest cooperative and distributing organization in the world, were received by President Coolidge. They are making a tour of the United States as the guests of Harry T. Hall, vice president of the Bank of Manhattan, of New York, who personally presented them to the executive. The delegation included H. C. J. A. Wilkins, R. F. Lancaster, W. Dudley, R. Fleming and J. N. Sutton.